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PERSONAL NOTES

Arrivals and Departures of Residents and Visitors

IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

The Column Everybody Reads—Chat About Your Friends and Neighbors—Here and There.

The "Clean-up gang" swam into power last Tuesday.

Miss Emma Griest visited her mother, Mrs. Maria Griest recently.

Harrison Allaman, of Harrisburg, is visiting friends in Bedford.

Luther Perdew, of Flintstone, Md., Route 2, was transacting business in Bedford on Wednesday.

Mr. Eph Smith of Inglesmith, was transacting business in Bedford on last Friday.

Miss Alma Pipe, of Altoona, was visiting relatives and friends in Bedford over the week-end.

Mr. D. M. Rush, of Everett, was transacting business in Bedford yesterday.

Lantz Knight is visiting at the home of his aunts, the Misses Knight at the present time.

Thomas McNamara of Pitsburgh, was visiting his mother here last Sunday.

Dr William J. Salisbury and family, formerly of Indiana county, near Johnstown, are now located at Hyndman.

Miss Martha Mervine, a student nurse at the Western Maryland Hospital, Cumberland, spent Monday at her home here.

Brice's "clean-up squad" are getting their picks and shovels ready to throw the mud out and let the dirt in.

Mrs. Floyd Diehl and daughter Lois of Everett were visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Smith on Monday.

A marriage license was granted in Cumberland to Edson G. Corle, of Fishertown and Delila T. Suter of Mann's Choice.

Tabulated unofficial returns of the Democratic and Republican primaries will be found on pages four and five.

On Monday we received a letter from R. H. Stiffler of Salem, Ohio, enclosing a check for his subscription. Mr. Stiffler says he has been a subscriber to the Gazette for fifty-four years.

Since May second, George Mansfield, living on the Hibbard farm, has had four swarms from two hives of bees The swarms occurred on May 2, 7, 11 and 12.

Lee Hillegas, Cleo and Robert Kerr arrived in Bedford at the Kerr home. They came through from Iowa in a Villie without tire or car trouble and had an enjoyable trip. The distance is 1080 miles.

The Brice, Madore combination is certainly a splendid combination with which to "clean-up" Of course the Brice "clean-up squad" is going to use the steam roller and the steam shovel for the purpose of weeding out and smothering down all interior job blossoms.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Strauss and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. A L. Pfarr and William McQuin, all of Johnstown, spent Saturday at the home of Mr and Mrs. Peter Will.

The ladies of St John's Lutheran church, of Cessna will hold a social on Mrs William Ott's lawn on Tuesday evening, May 10 Ice cream, cake, sandwiches and coffee will be served The public is cordially invited.

Chester W. Rush, of Bucyrus, Ohio, 317 West Warren street, would like to get the history of the Rush families living in Bedford County. Families of that name who would like to have their ancestry published and recorded would do well to communicate with Mr. Rush of Ohio and give him the desired information.

The Womans Circle of the Presbyterian Church will hold a market and exchange in the basement of the church Friday and Saturday, May 19th and 20th Every thing good to eat also clothing and house furnishings, pictures, ornaments, books and other things Prices very reasonable. Ice Cream and cake will be served

S. H Sell and Charles R. Mock, esqs, are in Harrisburg where they will appear before the Board of Pardons today in behalf of Jonas Ebersole convcited of murder in the first degree, who asks for commutation of the death sentence to life imprisonment Numerous petitions and letters recommending commuation have been signed by citizens, jurors and others.

Attorney S H Sell leaves Bedford on Sunday to join Mrs Sell and daughter Leone at Omaha, Nebraska for a visit among friends and relatives in that state Mr Sell will deliver a Memorial address on May 30 at Dorchester, Nebraska, where he was Principal of the Public Schools for a term of three years prior to his admission to the Bedford Bar. He will be absent from the county till June 10, during which time urgent business will receive attention by some one in charge of his office

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Memorial services will be held in Milleran's Cove on Saturday May 27 at 2 30 o'clock.

RECENT DEATHS

Kathryn Huzzard

Miss Kathryn Huzzard died at her home, 327 West Pitt street, on Sunday, May 14, at 6 o'clock, aged 23 years 5 months and 1 day. She was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Huzzard and was born in Berwick, Pa., on December 13, 1898. She is survived by her mother and the following sisters: Mrs W A. Schmell, of Philadelphia, Mrs. W. R. Smith, of New York and Ellen at home.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, May 19 at 4 o'clock at the home conducted by Rev. R. S. Caldwell. Interment was made in the Bedford cemetery.

"Kate", as she was called by her friends, was a very well-known young lady and for some time past had been conducting a small grocery store at her home until she was taken sick a few months ago. She had a large circle of riends who learned with regret of her death.

Miss Sophia Meloy

Miss Sophia Meloy died at the Steckman House on last Thursday afternoon May 11, 1922 after an illness of many months. She was aged 80 years, 2 months and 10 days having been born March 1, 1842, at Juniata Crossing, a daughter of William and Catharine (Hoop) Meloy, both long since deceased. She was the last of a family of ten children, five boys and five girls She is survived by her nephew and nieces, the Steckmans and Mrs. George Calhoun.

Funeral services were held Monday morning, May 15 at 9 o'clock at St. Thomas Catholic church, Rev. Father C. Logan McKinney performing the last rites. Interment was made in the Catholic cemetery west of town.

"Aunt Sophie", as she was familiarly known, was loved by a host of friends and many patrons of the "Steckman House" where she had made her home for seventy years, having come to her sister, the late Mrs. Steckman, at the age of ten years. At an early age she became a member of St. Thomas Roman Catholic church, having been baptized by the first pastor, Rev. Fr. Heyden. She was a consistent member and it can truthfully be said she was faithful to the end.

Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Walter

Mrs Mary Elizabeth Walters was born in Bedford County, Pa., April, 24th 1859. She departed this life at Seattle, Washington, May 4th, 1922 at the age of 63 years.

Her early life was spent in this County where she was married to Mr. Edward Walters Seven children blessed this union She was a life long member of the Methodist Episcopal Church

Her body was brought from Seattle to Osterburg and funeral services were held in the Reformed Church of that place on Sunday morning, May 14 at 10 o'clock. Her body was laid to rest in the Cemetery surrounding the church.

She is survived by her brother, Mr. Adam Ickes of Reynoldsdale, Pa, and her sisters, Mrs. James Wright of Osterburg and Mrs. George Weyant of Pleasantville Her daughters, Misses Mame, Bertha and Lela of Seattle, Wash., Mrs. Chester Spies of Fort Worth, Tex, and three grandchildren

Mrs. Clella Imler

Mrs Clella Imler, wife of Lincoln S. Imler, died at her home at Imler, Tuesday morning at 1 o'clock, death being due to a long illness from tuberculosis She was born Feb. 15, 1864, being aged 58 years, 3 months and 1 day. She was united in marriage with Lincoln S Imler on Nov 9, 1890, and to this union was born two daughters and one son, Mrs. Lillie J. Kauffman of Imler, Ruth deceased, and Irvin C Imler of Pittsburgh. One grandchild and these brothers and sisters and half-brothers and half-sisters survive Walter Berkheimer of Hollidaysburg, Miss Leah Berkheimer of Imler, Mrs. Amanda Claycomb and Mrs. Carrie Riddle of Osterburg, Dennis C. Imler of South Altoona, Thomas E. Imler and Sewell Z. Imler of Juniata and Park Z. Imler of Newry She was a good Christian woman, a member of the Lutheran church of Imler and a kind mother, excellent neighbor and friend to everybody, especially in times of need. The funeral was conducted in the Lutheran church on Thursday morning at 10 o'clock by her pastor, Rev Guy H. Middlesworth. Interment was made in the adjoining cemetery

SOLDIERS BURIED DURING THE YEAR

Following is a list of soldiers who have been buried in Bedford County since Memorial Day 1921, or names that were missed from former published lists. An abbreviated date following a name indicates approximate time of service.

List submitted by Frank McCoy, Madley, Pa.

BEDFORD TOWNSHIP

Bedford Cemetery

Bollinger, Guy F. '18. 112th. U. S Inf

Leader, Charles B. '18 112th. U. S Inf.

Lee, Henry W 133rd Pa. Inf.

Prosser, David W 33rd Pa. Inf.

Catholic Cemetery

Straub, Cyril J. '18. 112th. U. S. Inf.

St. Pauls' Church Cemetery

Ingliss, James F '18. 112th U S Inf.

BLOOMFIELD TOWNSHIP

Holsinger Cemetery

Appleman, Clyde E '18. 305th Engs.

BROAD TOP TOWNSHIP

Duval Cemetery

McIntyre, Wilson G. '18 110th. U. S Inf.

COLERAIN TOWNSHIP

Reformed Church Cemetery

Diehl, Henry G. '18 112th U. S Inf.

Trans Run Cemetery

Foor, Jeremiah 87th. Pa. Inf.

Union Cemetery

Ressler, Charles

Everett Cemetery

Griffith, Abel, 8th. Pa. Res. Inf.

HOPEWELL TOWNSHIP

Hopewell Cemetery

Conley, William '18. 319th. U. S. Inf.

Krahn, Edward J. '18. 302nd. U. S. Inf.

Reformed Church Cemetery

Fink, Valentine, 133rd. Pa. Inf.

Hyndman Cemetery

Deckerhoof, William Leroy, '18, 319th Inf.

Deshon, Walter F. '18.

Farner, Jeremiah, 136th. Pa. Inf.

Hillegass, Henry, 55th. Pa. Inf.

Kennedy, Walter, '18. 16th. U. S. Inf.

Miller, Howard B. '18. 319th. U. S. Inf.

Thompson, David P. 2nd Md. Inf, P H. B.

KIMMELL TOWNSHIP

Union Cemetery

Fickes, David E. Sig. Bn. 103rd. Inf.

KING TOWNSHIP

Imler Cemetery

Colebaugh, Jacob E. '18. 110th. U. S Inf.

LIBERTY TOWNSHIP

Fockler Cemetery

Barr, Thomas M. 125th Pa Inf

MANN'S TOWNSHIP

Fairview Cemetery

Smith, Lewis M 91st Pa Inf.

NAPIER TOWNSHIP

Schellburg Cemetery

Miller, Henry S 100th Pa Inf

Evangelical Cemetery, New Paris

Bowers, Jacob 99th. Pa. Inf.

Corle, Alexander B 55th Pa Inf.

Mt. Olivet Cemetery

Struckman, George H. '18. 16th U. S. Inf.

PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP EAST

Lutheran Church Cemetery, Rays Hill

Figard, Levi H. 107th. Pa Inf

Union Cemetery

Layton, Rush '18. 5th. U. S. Marines

PROVIDENCE TOWNSHIP WEST

Indian Spring Cemetery

Sparks, Charles C. '18. 155th Dep. Brig.

SOUTHAMPTON TOWNSHIP

Mt. Zion Cemetery

Howsare, Earl '18 319th. U. S Inf.

Oakdale Cemetery

Wigfield, Moses, 45th Pa. Inf.

ST. CLAIR TOWNSHIP WEST

Pleasantville Cemetery

Peterson, William, 84th Pa Inf

WOODBURY TOWNSHIP

Dry Hill Cemetery

Shoemaker, Austin, 110th Pa Inf

Potters Creek Cemetery

Brown, Jacob D. 101st Pa Inf

Democratic Landslide Still Active

As fast as the people can get at the Republicans office they are throwing them out The latest municipal election, held April 27th at Waterford, Saratoga County, New York, resulted in the defeat of every village Republican officeholder except one through a coalition of the Democrats and Citizens' party. For the first time in many years the Republicans have lost control of that village. The election was also a severe defeat for State Senator Kavanaugh (Rep.), as Waterford is his home village. The Republican bosses of Saratoga County have had the Waterford Republican leaders on the grill explaining their defeat, but nobody can explain a landslide

SMITH—DULL

Mr. Charles Bruce Smith and Miss Julia Dull, both of Wolfsburg, were united in marriage on Monday, May 15, at Pleasantville by the Rev. Rohland.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY MAY 25

Thursday evening, May 25, at eight o'clock, the Senior Class of the Bedford High School will give a thrilling play entitled "Miss Somebody Else" in the High School Auditorium. This promises to be one of the best plays ever acted out by High School students, and is sure to please as well as amuse. The type of play itself is unusual in character and the amateurs taking the various parts show marked ability in carrying out the plot.

"Miss Somebody Else" arouses interest. displays clever schemes, involves mystery, contains strong dramatic parts as well as ridiculous, displays life as seen from the upstairs window as well as down, starts with fear of failure but ends with success.

Madalyn Hughes, as Constance, plays the leading role with Clarence Leo, a fine type of American manhood, who has one object in view, i. e., to please her Cora Whetstone as Mrs. Delavan wh is in charge of a Club House, is driven to utter despair because of financial embarrasment while Robert Imler as Mr. Delavan and Mildred, Ruth, Morgart, continue to live in a contented state of mind Through a complete change of circumstances in the second act, the Club House becomes popular. With Everard Leberknight as the young crook, Florence Hammer, a French maid, and Nancy Jennings as maid servant, the play is bound to please. Marian Holler, Madolyn Hyde, Lillian Stufft, Margaret Will, Orville Amick, May Diehl and Ruth Colvin make the third and fourth acts interesting.

For amusement and entertainment you ca nfind nothing that will arouse your emotions more and give you greater delight than this thrilling play of four acts on Thursday evening May 25. Come and bring your friends with you. Admission 50 cents

ORCHESTRA CONCERT TONIGHT

The concert which is to be given in the Assembly Hall this evening will consist of selections by the two school orchestras, and vocal numbers by the Boys' Glee Club and the Girls' Chorus An effort has been made to acquaint the children with music of the better sort. as is shown by the appearance of such names as Mendelssohn, Haydn, Rubenstein, Wagner etc; on the program for this evening. For those who like something lively, there will be a number of good snappy marches interspersed throughout the program, and the last number will be a selection rendered by the combined orchestra Girls' Chorus, and Boys' Glee Club, an aggregate of about fifty performers.

Tickets are for sale by any of the students of these organizations, at thirty-five cents for adults, and twenty-five for students. No reservations of seats will be made, so that those who come earliest will have the best choice Concert begins at eight o'clock Assurance is given to all who will attend, that they will feel it to have been worth their while to hear this entertainment

Father and Son Celebration

Following the "Mother and Daughter" celebration held at St John's Reformed church on last Sunday and Monday there will be a "father and son" celebration beginning Sunday evening next at 7 30 when the fathers and their sons will attend services in a body and hear a special sermon by the pastor. On Monday evening at 7 15 there will be a father and son banquet in the Sunday School rooms Every man even though he be not a father is some man's son so all the men and boys are invited More than 175 mothers and their daughters were present at the celebration last week and "dad" and the boys will have to pull hard to keep up with the girls

Republican Paper Calls Oil Deal "a Scandal of the First Magnitnde."

New York Globe (Rep.)—Senator LoFollette points out that fields (naval oil reserves) which were protected under the administrations of Roosevelt, Taft and Wilson, were thrown open during the first few months of the Harding administration, and states that Federal officials who had refused to endorse the transfer were removed—If all that is hinted at is true, Mr Harding has a scandal of the first magnitude on his hands Added to the bad impression produced by the recent upheaval in the Bureau of Printing and Engraving and the removal of Major Watts because of his incontinent desire to prosecute contractors accused of robbing the public treasury, and the abrupt deflation of the Shipping Board's assets, Senator La Follette's discovery becomes ominous

LEE F. FURRY DIES AT HIS HOME

Lee Furry, one of Bedford county's most prominent citizens, died suddenly at his home at New Enterprise, Friday night at 10 o'clock, aged 67 years.

Mr. Furry was one of seven sons and three daughters of Jacob and Mrs. Elizabeth Furry, both deceased, and was born at New Enterprise, where he spent his entire life with the exception of two years spent in Altoona

He was united in marriage with Hannah Beech, who survives, with the following children Prof Lorenzo Furry and Arch Furry of Johnstown, Irvin Furry, at home, Miss Lottie Furry of Cyphur and Miss Margaret Furry, a member of the senior class at the Millersville Normal school

Six brothers and three sisters survive. They are Dr S E Furry of New York, Leonard Furry and Mrs. Hannah Blackburn, of Nebraska, Daniel and David E of Altoona, Preston Furry of New Enterprise, Jacob B Furry of Muskogee, Okla, Mrs Simon H. Sell of Bedford and Mrs. Mary Replogle of Johnstown.

Mr Furry was engaged in farming until of recent years when he was living retired and devoting his time to business interests not so stenuous He was one of the foremost citizens of the community where he resided and took a leading part in civic interests

He served at various times on the school board of his district and was the leading promoter and it was largely through his efforts that the J. Leonard Replogle High school, one of the best educational institutions in this county, was established.

He was interested in the bank at New Enterprise and had other business interests there. He was a member of the Brethren church and took an active part in the work of the church at his home town

The funeral was conducted in New Enterprise on Tuesday.

BASE BALL

Bedford base ball team will open the Base Ball season next Tuesday afternoon at North Side Park with Everett.

The ball grounds have been put in good shape, and the boys have been practicing for the past week and are ready to start the season right by winning their first game from our old rivals, Everett

It is hoped that out people will support the team this year even better than they did last The boys are giving their time without any pay and to show them that we appreciate it let's all turn out next Tuesday and help them

Watch the cards in the store windows for the time the game will start Tuesday, May 23rd Everett and Bedford

There will be practice this (Friday) evening at 5.30 o'clock All players desiring to make the team must be out to practice

HUGHES—NAUS

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the rectory of St Thomas Catholic Church on Wednesday morning at seven o clock when Rev Father C L McKinney united in marriage Mr Conrad Hughes and Miss Ruth Naus both of this place The attendants were Miss Margaret Naus a sister of the bride and Mr James Hughes, brother of the bridegroom At the conclusion of the ceremony, the wedding party proceeded to the home of the bride where a dainty breakfast was served to the members of the immediate families, after which Mr and Mrs Hughes left overland for Altoona where they entrained for a honeymoon trip to Washington, D C, Philadelphia, and Reading, Pa., Buffalo N Y and points of interest in Ohio Upon their return they will reside at Cessna.

The bride is the daughter of Justice of the Peace and Mrs F E. Naus and a graduate of Bedford High school, Class of 1917 She is a former employee of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company at this place The groom is the son of Mr and Mrs Patrick Hughes and has been employed as agent for the Pennsylvania Railroad Company at Fishertown until recently, when he was transferred to Cessna to fill a vacancy there Both young people are very well known here and the Gazette joins with their large circle of friends in wishing them joy in their new life

HONOR STUDENTS

School Honors are based on the highest scholastic standing attained by students durinf a four years course in the Bedford High School First Honor—Kathryn Sammell—Valedictorian, Second Honor—Viola Snowden—Salutatorian, Third Honor—Margaret Miller—Class Orator.

These students will take part in the Commencement exercises

The only difference between a rut and a grave is the width and depth.

Live wires are not often stepped upon!

NEW PARTY HAS A CLEAN SWEEP

Brice Wins State Committee

JOHN M. REYNOLDS PLEASED. DERRICK LIKELY WINS SENATE NOMINATION

The Independent Republican League won a decisive battle last Tuesday in the Republican party. J. Anson Wright, their candidate for the legislature, was an easy victor over the other four candidates, Campbell, Hoover, Gump and Replogle. They say, "they want to give Bedford County a good representation this year" which isn't a very complimentary remark for either Campbell, Hoover or Replogle and especially Hoover who is the present member and deserved a second term The nomination of Wright is only a beginning of the worst form of gang rule and that is, to center on a candidate alone and let the rest shift for themselves It's the same old thing over: Let one on and kick the rest off the deck to drown, gang rule transferred to others and you may believe the Gazette or not but we predict that the Independent Republican League has at its head William Brice, Jr., one of the most virulent, bombastic, autocratic political czars ever put at the head of an organization in Bedford County or any other county. He is boasting now that "he will show them now who's boss," and he will, if the people can be scared and harangued and driven into submission.

The most pleased person in Bedford was Hon. John M. Reynolds. He came home from his trip West in time to jump right into the fight and he was busy from the day he arrived to the day the returns were made in the Commissioners' office and the tabulation of the vote giving Wright the nomination and Pinchot the county. He was smiles all over. It brings him into power again in the county. Then it is reported that Attorney B. F. Madore turned somersaults and stood on his head on Wednesday morning in celebration of his ability to hand out the political plums of Bedford county if Pinchot be elected governor. Madore will likely apply for member of Public Service Commission or some other fat job. "Tho the victor belong the spoils," but Brice wants a fat job too. He wanted on the Public Service Commission payroll in the Sproul administration but he didn't make it, so he bolted to try a new amalgamation.

George W. Derrick has a chance for the Senatorial nomination. The latest returns from the Somerset and Fulton vote give him about 200 of a lead. It will require the official count to determine the winner but Miller and Lohr are disposed to hand it to him.

Howard Cessna polled a very complimentary vote, 1053 in Bedford County and 283 in Blair. Rothrock polled a big Republican vote in Blair 3507 against 5538 for Kurtz, 894 for Blake and 1460 for Detrick. If Rothrock can command the same vote at the general election, Dan Brumbaugh will defeat Kurtz In all there were 6144 votes polled in Blair County against Kurtz So you can see the people are not much over there for a corporation lawyer and a second rate man at that

Wright will cross swords with John T. Matt of Everett Matt was in Harrisburg two terms and made a good record. He stood for all measures to reduce taxes and decrease the burdens of the people and he and McSparran had a fight before a legislative committee while pleading for legislation for the farmer and if the farmer wants a man who can and will stand up for his rights he can't support a more determined man than Matt. Matt while there voted to keep salaries down, reduce taxes and let the people have their own say as to local self-government. In 1912 he defeated Wright by a majority of over 2000.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

James Chaney Kearney and Ella Hughes, both of Broad Top Township.

Noah David Runk of Three Springs, Huntingdon County and Edith Marie Weight, of Hopewell, R D

Charles Bruce Smith, of East St. Clair Township and Zella Dull of Napier Township

Conrad K. Hughes and Ruth J. Naus, both of Bedford

Ralph H Bonsteel, of Cleveland, Ohio and D Bertha Oster of Osterburg

Chester Arther Holmes and Lillie Alma Aller, both of Liberty Township.

CHAUTAUQUA MEETING

A very important meeting of all persons interested in our coming Chautauqua will be held in Dulls Drug Store this, Friday, evening May 19th at 7 o'clock. Mr. Joseph of the Redpath Chautauqua will be here and he will have some important information for us Come at 7 o'clock and our meeting will be over in time for those who want to attend the Concert at the School House

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XIX.

JUST KEPT GROWING

The origins of these antiquated, cumbersome, costly, inefficient pieces of the national machinery that we call the executive departments show how any establishment if well watered with government money will expand and hold together, no matter how conflicting and incongruous its functions. Hardly one of these great business establishments—for that is what they are—was planned. As they are today they just happened.

Take the Department of Agriculture, for example, one of the greatest and most complex and widespreading of all the departments. It is in closer touch and more directly affects the greatest number of people in the United States than any other branch of the government with the possible exception of the post office. It began in 1839 with an appropriation of $1,000, taken from the patent funds for the distribution of free seeds and the collection of agricultural statistics by the patent office, then a bureau in the State department. Now look at the darned thing. It is all over the place.

The title of the department indicates its most important field of activities, but its functions have been extended to include the whole range of rural industry and some branches of administration only very indirectly related to agricultural interests. For about 60 years subsequent to the Revolution the general interests of agriculture were left almost entirely to individual initiative. Federal activity was confined to relatively narrow limits and was merely sporadic. Soon after the national government was organized some attempts were made to establish a board of agriculture; but neither the first proposal in 1796 nor a second effort in 1817 was successful.

Shortly after the Revolution, following the example of Benjamin Franklin while in England, as agent of the colony of Pennsylvania during the years 1764 to 1775, American consuls and naval officers began the practice of sending home foreign seeds and cuttings for new crops, and of aiding in the introduction into the United States of new breeds of domestic animals. Even such small governmental participation was, in the beginning, rather extra-official.

In 1836 the commissioner of patents, one H. L. Ellsworth, began the distribution of considerable quantities of seeds and plants received from government representatives in foreign countries; and three years later through his influence an appropriation of $1,000 was made for the purpose of procuring and distributing seeds of new plants, carrying agricultural investigations and collecting agricultural statistics. This was the historic beginning of the much-talked-about free seed distribution.

By an act of congress in May, 1862, since generally called the organic act, the activities of the government affecting agriculture were placed under a separate and distinct organization known as the Department of Agriculture, in charge of a commissioner of agriculture. It did not rank, however, with the other executive departments, and the commissioner was not entitled to a seat in the President's cabinet. Isaac Newton, chief of the agricultural section in the patent office, was appointed the first commissioner of agriculture. Other officers provided by the organic act included a statistician, a chemist, an entomologist and a superintendent of the propagating garden and experimental farm.

The chrysalis was now ready to be broken. In 1889 the Department of Agriculture was elevated to the rank of the other executive departments and its commissioner was made secretary of agriculture with a seat in the President's cabinet. This was in Grover Cleveland's administration. In honor of its new rank a few more functions were taken on.

But that's enough detail. It kept on growing. Beginning with an appropriation of $1,000 and two or three clerks the department had, in 1910, employees to the number of 12,480, and an appropriation of $12,995,036. Five years later the appropriation had grown to $19,865,832 and the employees to 16,223. The employees in May, 1920, numbered 18,098 and the appropriation given by congress for the fiscal year 1921 was $31,475,368.

The department has increased its cost of living in 82 years from a mere $1,000—that is, $83.33 a month—to more than $31,000,000 a year, $2,622,947.28 every month. That shows as clearly and as sharply as it can be shown how the high cost of government has affected your own cost of living.

We, you and I, paid out of our savings and earnings every red cent of that increase from $1,000 a year to more than $31,000,000. If any have been well spent. We probably got a run [illegible] nobody knows, ex[illegible]

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IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL

Sunday School Lesson

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LESSON FOR MAY 21

HILKIAH'S GREAT DISCOVERY

LESSON TEXT—II Chron. 34:14-33.

GOLDEN TEXT—Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path.—Ps. 119:105.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Deut. 6:6-9; Josh. 1:8; Col. 3:16; II Tim. 2:15, 3:14-16.

PRIMARY TOPIC—How the Lost Bible Was Found.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Hilkiah Discovers the Lost Bible.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How to Make the Bible Our Own.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—The Authority and Influence of the Bible.

About a hundred years elapsed between the reformation under Hezekiah and that of Josiah. Some time during this time the book of God's law had been lost. Two wicked kings had reigned in this interval. The Lord had given Hezekiah much wealth. His son Manasseh, coming into possession of his father's property, and being ungodly, would naturally neglect the Bible, if not purposely try to put it from sight. Those who do not obey the law of God, are usually interested in putting it out of sight.

I. The Book of the Law Found (vv. 14-17).

1. The Occasion (v. 14). It was while repairing the temple during Josiah's reformation that the law was discovered.

2. The Book Delivered to the King (vv. 15-17). Upon making a report to the king of work done, the king was told of the finding of the book of the law by Hilkiah, and the book delivered to him.

II. The Effect of the Reading of the Law (vv. 18-28).

Shaphan the Scribe read the law before the king.

1. The King Rent His Clothes (v. 19). As the law was read before him he was led to realize more seriously the awful extent of the nation's departure from God. He knew that sin merited punishment. The function of the law is to reveal sin. The man who will honestly hear the demands of God's law will fall upon his knees before God and cry for mercy. The rending of the royal robes indicated that the king was penitently sorrowful.

2. The King Sent a Deputation to Make Inquiry of the Lord (vv. 20, 21). The king included himself in the guilt before God. "Go inquire for me and for them that are left, for great is the wrath of the Lord that is poured out upon us." His sense of sin was so keen that he sent them to inquire us to whether there was any means of averting the judgments of the Lord. Instinctively the human heart turns from God's threatening judgments to a means of escape. The soul that sorrows for sin inquires for a way of escape. The law prepares for the gospel. The law is our schoolmaster to bring us to Christ. The soul under condemnation inquires, "What must I do to be saved?"

3. The Message of Huldah, the Prophetess (vv. 22-28). (1) Confirmation of what the law said (vv. 22-25). She said that all the curses written in the law must fall, for the sins had been so flagrant that God's wrath could not be restrained. Destruction was hanging over Jerusalem and it was too late to avert it. It was not too late to repent to obtain mercy from God, but the outward consequence of sin must be realized. This finds fulfillment on every hand today. The murderer must hang. His soul may go directly to heaven, provided he has accepted Jesus Christ. (2) Acceptance of Josiah's repentance (vv. 26-28). Because of his tenderness of heart and deep penitence, the Lord said he should be gathered to his grave in peace, and should not see all the evil to be brought on Jerusalem and its people. What Huldah said was true even though Josiah died in battle (35: 23-25). When God accepts a man and forgives him, his death is a peaceful one even though it may be on the battlefield. God's presence is with him and he thus will go straight to the heavenly home.

III. The Law Obeyed (vv. 29-33).

1. The King Read the Law (vv. 29, 30). He gathered together the inhabitants of Jerusalem, including the priests, Levites and elders, and read unto them the law.

2. The King Made a Covenant Before the Lord to Keep His Commandments and Testimonies (vv. 31, 32). This was done sincerely—with all his heart and soul. He caused all that were present to stand to it.

3. The king took away all the abominations out of all the countries that pertained to Israel (v. 33). All the days of the king they departed not from following after the Lord.

He Will Save You.

When you feel as if things were dragging you down into the depths will you remember that the Lord Jesus Christ is at your side? All human help may seem very far away, but He is not far away. Even through the noise of the storm He can hear the faintest cry, "Lord save me, I perish," and He will save you to the uttermost.

Adversity.

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Important Event

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 31

SUBURBAN DAY

EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM COMMANDING ATTENTION

Shady Side Academy in Million Dollar Development—Prominent Business and Professional People Helping Re-Build This Famous Boys' School

The people of Western Pennsylvania and the region round about are accustomed to the best. Nothing else is good enough. Particularly they insist on educational efficiency.

A Country School for boys, in the modern scheme of education, is an essential. Forty years ago Shady Side Academy was organized to meet the need then. It continues to be essential and to serve in larger ways.

The old location, at the corner of Ellsworth and Morewood Avenues, has outgrown its usefulness. That section of Pittsburgh used to be open fields and roomy, playing places. Now the traffic is congested, the section is compactly built, and there is not enough room for the boys to work and play. Athletic fields are below standard size and only a few boys at a time can exercise.

The Junior School will remain in the old familiar location and have ample space for itself. The Senior School is moving out to the beautiful hills in O'Hara Township, near Aspinwall. Already the buildings and landscape gardening are well under way and the new Shady Side, which is just the old school enlarged and improved, will open its fall term in the new home.

Mrs. Wallace H. Rowe and her children, in memory of Mr. Rowe, presented Shady Side Academy with the one hundred twenty-five acres on which the new school is being built. It is twelve miles from the center of Pittsburgh, adjoins the property of the Pittsburgh Field Club, and is about twenty minutes by automobile from East Liberty. School buses will afford transportation for day students to and from the city.

The boys will live in cottage dormitories, equipped with the best of modern conviences. Each dormitory will have spacious and beautiful living rooms which will be the center for the boys' social activities.

There will be tennis courts galore, golf, swimming, skating, boating, all kinds of competitive games and constant friendly intercourse with the masters. There will be unrestricted room in which to grow, study, play, be happy and at one's best.

ARTHUR W. THOMPSON
Chairman Shady Side Executive Committee

Boys who live near enough will report at the School Monday morning and remain until Saturday, spending week ends at home. Boys farther from home will remain the entire period. Those who wish may come and go each day.

It is difficult to overestimate the advantages of this sort of private school for boys in the vicinity of Pittsburgh. It stands for the best. It is wholesomely Christian but nondenominational. Its educational standards are high. Its surroundings will be ideal.

A million dollars is required for carrying through the present building program. Business and professional men are enlisting to raise this sum. The Shady Side Academy Development takes on the nature of a great civic movement and is commanding widespread attention and support from Pittsburgh, Western Pennsylvania, Eastern Ohio and West Virginia.

Mr. John R. McCune, President of the Union National Bank, is Chairman of the Committee of One Hundred. Mr. Augustus K. Oliver, is president of the Board of Trustees. Mr. Arthur W. Thompson, President of the Philadelphia Company whose picture apears above, is chairman of the Executive Committee. Mr. Harold A. Nomer, an Alumnus of Williams College, Williamstown, Mass., is the Head Master.

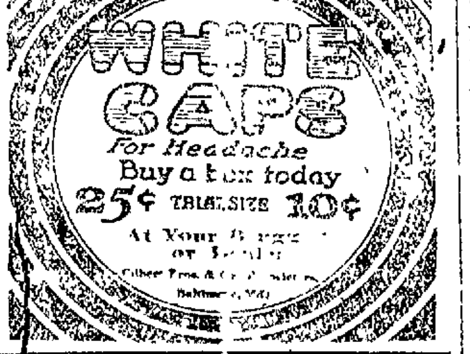
With everybody pulling together, the new great Shady Side will soon be an accomplished fact.

COW TESTING REPORT

During the month of April, 9 cows in the Second Bedford County Cow Testing Association produced over 40 lbs. fat, 11 cows produced over 1000 lbs. milk, three cows were sold as unprofitable. The honor roll for April is as follows:

Owner	Breed	Lbs. Milk	Lbs. Butter-fat.
James Steele	P. B. H.	1146	35.5
James Steele	G. H.	900	40.5
Jacob Hershberger	Mixed	957	49.8
Frank Hershberger	G. H.	1071	39.6
Fred Coxe	P. B. J.	888	42.6
Warren Koontz	G. J.	1278	46.0
Warren Koontz	G. J.	1110	34.4
Warren Koontz	G. J.	870	43.5
Warren Koontz	Mixed	990	40.6
Mt. Dallas Farming Co	P. B. H.	1176	38.8
Thomas Clapper	Mixed	675	40.0
C. E. Little	P. B. H.	1401	39.2
C. E. Little	G. H.	1305	39.1
C. E. Little	P. B. H.	1020	35.7
Cyrus Furry	P. B. H.	1011	29.3
Cyrus Furry	P. B. H.	1044	30.3
Chalmer Clapper	G. J.	783	43.1

Lester B. Guyer, Tester



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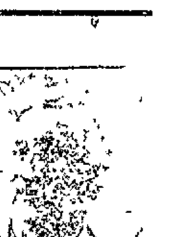

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A PRESIDENT WITHOUT ENEMIES

The following clipped from the New York Word gives about as complete and truthful description of President Harding as any human can conceive. It is a reply to a criticism of the Albany Journal in which it stated that the New York World pays Harding the high compliment of not liking him. The World replys:

Mr. Barnes's (Boss Barnes) newspaper is exactly 100 per cent wrong. The World has paid no such compliment to Mr. Harding, nor has anybody, so far as we know, thus complimented him.

Mr Harding seems to be a President without enemies, and this is not so fortunate as it might appear. Nobody takes the trouble to dislike him, much less to hate him, and the support that he draws to himself is no warmer than the opposition that he arouses. So far as feeling is concerned, it is a half of 1 per cent. Administration, for and against. "The "kick" has been taken out of it both ways.

Nobody can successfully administer government without creating passionate attachments and arousing equally passionate resentments. Mr. Cleveland was not alone in being "loved" for the enemies he has made." All strong political leaders are thus loved. All strong political leaders are thus hated. That is a test that never fails.

Woodrow Wilson without his enemies would not have been Woodrow Wilson. There are men whose animosity toward him is still so intense that they cannot forgive him for having been President—that they cannot forgive him for having lived at all. There are other men who hesitated at no sacrifice to support him while he was President and would to-day hesitate at no sacrifice if they could bring him back to full physical strength and vigor.

Mr Roosevelt did not speak altogether in jest when, starting on his hunting trip to Africa, he said that "Wall Street expects every lion to do its duty." That was the attitude of Wall Street toward the former President at that time, and he probably never exneced to see the day when Wall Street's hatred of Mr. Wilson would be so intense that it would look on Theodore Roosevelt as its fairest political hope.

All that, nevertheless, is the stuff out of which leadership is made. Time would have to hang very heavily on the hands of the man who would go to the trouble of hating Mr. Harding. There is nothing to hate. Everybody recognizes in him a kindly, amiable, well-meaning gentleman who is mentally uncomfortable in the presence of dissention and always follows the line of least resistence. Mr. Harding arouses neither strong dislike nor strong affections. Nobody would go far out of his way eiher to help or hurt him. There is nothing about him to inspire either an aggressive support or an aggressive opposition.

Mr. Harding's favorite recreation is smoothing things down. Discord of any kind is unpleasant to him. If some of the boys are vociferous in equally vehement in asserting that declaring that two and two make four while some of the others are two and two make six, the President is almost sure to suggest that they call it five and let it go at that. That is an agreeable trait, but, strangely enough, it pays scanty dividends in government, because government functions well only in the clash of positive opinions vigorously maintained.

That ought not to be the case, but it is, and so it is Mr. Harding's misfortune that he is incapable of arousing an opposition into active dislike. If the Democrats really hated him there would be fewer Republicans in and out of Congress putting up jobs on him.

A Scotch preacher had been abroad, and when he came back he was preaching to his congregation on the marvels he had seen.

He wound up with this: "And the same Creator who made the vast ocean made the dewdrop. The Creator who made the mountain made the pebble. Yes, and that same Creator who made me made a daisy!"

Power of Beautiful Woman.

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POULTRY

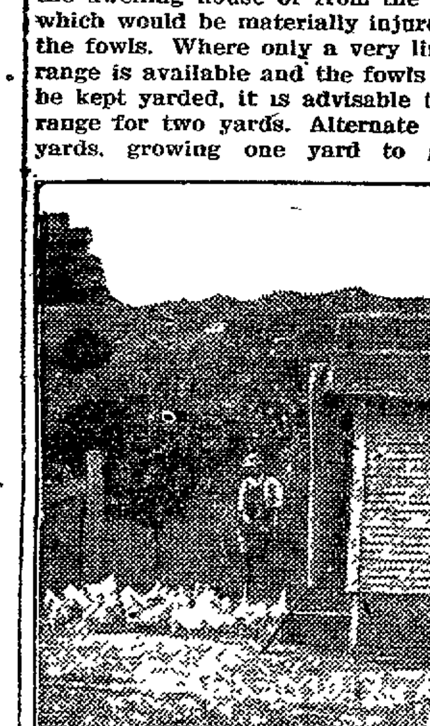
LOCATION OF POULTRY HOUSE

Important Factors to Consider Are Convenience, Good Drainage and Yard Space.

The factors of importance to be considered in selecting the site for the poultry house are convenience of location, nature of soil, good water and air drainage, and a large amount of yard space or available grass range. In the matter of convenience the poultry house should be located near the other farm buildings and within a reasonable distance of the dwelling house, but not so near the house that the poultry will become a nuisance where they have free range by roosting on the porches. A southern or southeastern exposure should be selected, putting the house, if possible, on a knoll or elevation of the land where the water and air drainage are good. It is very important that the land be well drained, so that it will always be dry around the poultry house. Where there is good water drainage, the air drainage is also usually good, while if the poultry house is located in a low place, cold and frosty air tends to settle in such a low place, making it a very undesirable site for the location of the poultry house.

In regard to soil one must be relatively influenced by the kind of soil on the farm, but, if possible, select a site which has a sandy loam soil and one that is well drained. Avoid a heavy clay soil or a very light sand. The land should be heavy enough to grow good grass and green feed and not burn up quickly in hot weather. A heavy clay which does not drain properly and which remains cold and wet late in the summer is very undesirable.

Free range is the ideal condition under which to keep poultry, where it is possible. On many farms the gardens can be fenced, allowing the poultry free range, provided the poultry house is erected at a suitable distance from the dwelling house or from the crops which would be materially injured by the fowls. Where only a very limited range is available and the fowls must be kept yarded, it is advisable to arrange for two yards. Alternate these yards, growing one yard to green



Poultry House on Ideal Site.

crops, such as oats, wheat, and any quick-growing grain with a small amount of rape seed, or some other quick-growing crop which makes a tender succulent growth. If the fowls have to be yarded, and two yards can be kept in grass or alfalfa, this makes a splendid arrangement, alternating the yards so that the grass is not killed in either yard. Where the space is so limited, it is advisable to renew the land in this yard by plowing or working the land and planting it two or three times each year to some of the quick-growing grain crops, putting a temporary fence a half foot from the front of the house, thereby keeping the fowls off of the growing crop until the grains are from 2 to 4 inches high

CHARACTERISTICS OF LAYERS

Fairly Short Back, Deep Body and Long Space From Tail to Keelbone Are Favored.

Some hens are built to lay eggs and others seem to be built not to lay eggs and never will lay enough eggs to pay a profit. A fairly short back, deep body, and fairly long space from the base of the tail to the front of the keelbone are the body characteristics of high-producing poultry, of any age or breed. Hens built after this model lay intensively, not only the first, but the second and third years, and roosters of these specifications transmit good laying power to their daughters. Good birds grow faster, are broader bodied, and have thicker and shorter legs and necks than poor ones.

ENEMIES OF POULTRY FLOCK

Watch Dog Affords Much Protection from Hawks—Steel Traps Will Snare Some.

A good watch dog that will run at hawks which swoop near the ground is a great protection to the poultry. Steel traps on poles will snare some of them. Hanging a dead hawk to a pole on the range will also help to keep them away. One poultry man reports hanging some bits of bright tin to a pole of the range ... flashing ... against the ... seem to ... hawks away from the ...

TO GROW EARLY CABBAGE

Cabbage is one of the most desirable of our early green or leaf crops and should be included in every home garden. The seeds should be sown indoors and the plants set in the garden about the time that danger of frost is past, or a few plants can be purchased from the seed store. Cabbage requires a rich soil, and the plants of the smaller early sorts should be set 18 inches apart in each direction for hand cultivation. It is a good plan to pour a little water around the roots of each plant as it is being set in the garden.

TOOLS THE BUSY GARDENER NEEDS

Hoe, Rake and Spade, the Combination Soil Tillers Find Absolutely Necessary.

WHEEL HOE IS LABOR SAVER

Little Implement Suitable for Small or Large Garden; Trowels Are Handy; Spraying Outfits Are Essential.

With the first warm days of spring sounding the earth call, there is a hasty scurrying around for the tools of the gardening cult. A gardener can get along fairly well with four, a spade or spading fork, a hoe, a rake, and a trowel. It is even possible to get along without the last, but who wants to?

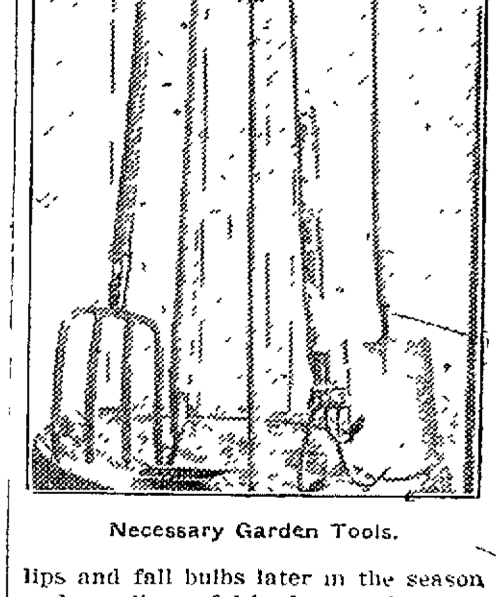
The art of gardening is reaching such a point of special development that there are tools for almost everything and the wise gardener by a careful selection will ease his work as much as possible by securing appropriate working implements.

The greatest labor saver for gardens of any extent is a little wheel hoe. This saves many a headache, does the work thoroughly, and has appliances for various purposes which are interchangeable from a little plow share, to cultivators of various kinds. It can be used in the smallest garden.

There are numerous hoes of various types and designed for different purposes The pointed hoe for making rows is a convenient tool. The hoe with rake teeth on the back of the blade is one of the very handiest all-around garden tools for light work there is. It is particularly well adapted for women gardeners. Three toothed cultivator hoes do a fine job of stirring the soil. Scuffle or shove hoes as they are sometimes called that can be pushed instead of pulled, permit hoeing rows which are too close to walk between conveniently.

Trowels of various shapes to suit various plants are now on the market, stiff, sharply angled small bladed trowels are ideal for splitting off pieces from perennials which have grown so large they need dividing for their best growth. They are fine to set under a recalcitrant carrot or parsnip whose leaves are so tender they part company from the root, leaving it in the ground.

Long bladed trowels are especially adapted for digging holes for gladiolus or other bulbs in the spring and tu-



Necessary Garden Tools.

lips and fall bulbs later in the season and equally useful in digging them up.

There are little hand rakes which are just the thing for hand cultivation among plants which need special care and the earth kept stirred

Sprinkling cans and sprays must be added to every well regulated garden outfit, especially a spray.

While looking over spraying outfits get in a supply of poison for the pests that devour and for the fungus that blights. The seedsman will tell you what to get Bordeaux mixture for fungus pests, paris green or some other arsenical poison for those that eat the leaves, and a tobacco poison of some kind for plant lice are standard. Often they can be bought in combination.—National Garden Bureau.

FRESH VEGETABLES EVERY DAY

What is a back yard good for? It may be made to supply the average family with fresh vegetables through the growing season.

ROUND KNOB

The farmers around here are sowing their oats and planting potatoes.

Rev. William Speace, of Coaldale, delivered a very interesting sermon after Sunday school Sunday last.

Howard Thomas has a cow which gave birth to twin calves last week. They are doing fine and look just exactly alike, both being heifer calves.

Mrs. Clara Bell Smith, of Coaldale and her daughter, Amelia, were in Round Knob last week visiting her brother, Albert S. Figard. They had to curtail their visit and return home to attend the funeral of Mr. Daniel Neary, which was held at Saxton on Wednesday.

Emma Winter visited at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Winter, on Sunday last.

Wade H. Figard, wife and daughter, Amelia, Wilson Conner, Dewey Noll and Patsy Mitchell visited at the home of George Meck on Sunday last.

Mrs. Etta Hockings, of Everett, is visiting at the home of Albert S. Figard this week. She expects to do some sewing there before returning home.

Among those who attended the funeral of Daniel Neary at Saxton last Wednesday were: Mr. and Mrs. Wade H. Figard, Mr. and Mrs. Albert S. Figard and son John, Mr. and Mrs. Silas Thomas, Lillie Wright, Barton Walter and wife Mason Thomas and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Frank Satterfield and Rhoda Figard.

Calvin Foster who has been in California for the winter, has returned home again in good health, stating that he has had a very nice time and enjoyed himself very much.

Benjamin Spargo was in Altoona on last Thursday evening, where he attended a banquet, which was held by the Shriners. He returned home on Saturday.

George Noel and wife, of South Fork, are in Round Knob visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Thomas.

Mike Goworty and wife visited at the home of Albert S. Figard on Sunday last.

The Ladies Aaid met at Roy L. Figards' on last Wednesday evening and attended to business matters, besides enjoying a sociable evening.

Daisy.

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Friday, May 19, 1922

POLITICAL CALENDAR 1922

MAY 16—Spring Primary.
MAY 31— Last day for filing expense accounts for the Primary.
SEPT. 5, 6—Registration days in Townsips and Boroughs.
SEPT. 6—Extra assessment days
SEPT. 7—First Fall Registration Day.
SEPT. 13—Second Fall Registration Day.
OCT. 7—Third Fall Registration Day
OCT. 7—Last day before election to pay poll tax.
OCT. 11-28—For registration before commissioners (before General Election).
NOV. 7—General Election.
DEC. 7—Last day for filing expense acounts for General Election.

It seems as though I have been President for twenty years—President Harding in a speech at the National Press Club some time ago.

Not only to you, Mr. President, but to others does your service of one year seem like two decades. To the following citizens it seems all of twenty years—or longer:

The 4,000,000 men who are tramping the streets under your administration looking for jobs; the farmers who are burning their corn and who cannot sell their products at a profit because their foreign markets have been destroyed by your party's policies; the business men who have been waiting in vain for a steady business, which you and your party promised, while business conditions have steadily grown worse; the legitimate capitalists who would invest in industrial enterprises instead of tax exempt securities, if industry ha dbeen continued as promised by you and your party; the owners of factories whose plants are closed or running on reduced time by reason of the failure of you and your party to redeem your election pledges; the average taxpayer to whom you promised a reduction of taxes, which they are still looking for; the ex-service men who have watched your play hide-and-seek with the bonus and who have been discriminated against in appointments to postmasterships the productrs and shippers who have waited in vain for a reduction of freight rates; the genuine friends of the civil service who have witnessed your mockery and contempt for civil service principles; the man whose emblem was once the "full dinner pail," but is now the empty pocket, and the man who voted for a change—and got it.

Yes, Mr. President, it seems like twenty years—all of twenty years.

LEADING FARM PAPERS CONDEMN CALAMITY TARIFF BILL

Here are the views of three leading farm papers on the Calamity Tariff bill:

The Southland Farmer (Houston, Tex.), calls the Senate Tariff bill "a betrayal of agriculture" and says: "The promise for protection for farm products is impossible to bring about because we are an export nation for the main farm crops. This tariff will bring the farming regions of the West and South under still greater bondage to the industrial sections of the East and North. The Emergency Tariff showed the fallacy of any tariff holping prices for farm products to any extent worth considering. The bill is one written by special interests for such interests, with little regard to the plain people of the country, and it takes no prophet to fortell what its enactment will cost the Republican party responsible for it."

The Business Farmer (Mt. Clemens, Mich.): "Nearly all of the agricultural items are in terms of specific duties. Reduced to an ad valorem basis at current valuations and compared with the ad valorem rates on commodities of which the farmer is a large purchaser, we find that the agricultural schedules are actually among the lowest on the list. Of what benefit to the farmer is a 25 per cent duty on a world grain like wheat, of which we produce a large surplus, when he must turn right around and pay a 40 to 80 per cent duay on the majority of things he buys. The duty on sugar is an affront to every American consumer. But three and a half million Michigan people are asked to add several million dollars to their sugar bill for the direct benefit of a few hundred sugar mill stockholders and a very small indirect benefit of a handful of beet growers."

American Agriculturist (N. Y.): "They (our legislators) must bear in mind that products basic to the proper production, such as raw fertilizer salts, must be duty free so that production is encouraged as cheaply as possible."

"I sure do miss that cuspidor since it has gone."
"Well, you did that before," said friend wife. "That's why it has gone."

NO INVESTIGATION FOR DISMISSED OFFICIALS OF BUREAU OF ENGRAVING

When Senator Caraway (Dem., Ark.), introduced his resolutions for investigations of the wholesale discharge of employees of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing and of soldiers and sailors protected by statutes, he predicted that none of his resolutions would pass a Republican Senate. Senator Caraway is not only one of the most virile debaters in the United States Senate, but he is one of its true prophets. Two of his resolutions have been reported adversely and the third one so far has been blocked, and will probably die the same death.

There would seem to be no way with a Republican Congress to correct the injustices visited upon these faithful employees by an office-grabbing administration as long as the House and Senate are controlled by reactionary Republicans.

LaFollette (Rep.) Says Kendrick (Dem.) deserves Gratitude of the Country.

In his speech supporting his resolution for an investigation of the leases of the naval oil reserve to private interests controlled by subsidiaries of the Standard Oil Company, Senator LaFollette (Rep., Wis.), paid a fine tribute to Senator John B. Kendrick (Dem., Wyo.), for having brought this scandal to light and to former Secretary of the Navy Josephus Daniels for having resisted the efforts of these oil-grabbing corporations during his entire term. He said:

"Ever watchful of the public interest, the junior Senator from Wyoming, Mr. Kendrick, was the first member of this body to call attention in a public way to what had been done. The junior Senator from Wyoming introducted a resolution calling the attention of the Senate and the country to the leasing of naval reserve No. 3, located in Wyoming, the richest of all the naval reserves. He first informed the public that this lease had been made without open competitive bidding to some favored party. That brought the matter to my attention.

"The able Senator from Wyoming took the initative in this matter and by his resolution focused upon it the attention of the public. For that action he deserves the gratitude of the country. I propose to support and sustain him in the stand he has taken.

"The truth compels me to say that when Josephus Daniels was Secretary of the Navy he did not supinely surrender to these oil-grabbing corporations. I have read from the testimony of the Secretary of the Navy Daniels, who during his entire tenure of office resisted the efforts of the oil monopolists of this country to take within their control the last remnants of the public domain reserved for the use of the Navy of the United States."

Senator New's Defeat a Repudiation of Harding Administration.

Washington, May 18. The defeat of United States Senator Harry S. New for renomination by former Senator Albert J. Beveridge in the Indiana Republican primary by a large majority has thrown the other Republican administration candidates for re-election, both Senators and Representatives, into panic. With Copley of Illinois, the multi-millionaire member of the Ways and Means Committee and veteran reactionary leader and champion of the Harding administration, buried under a majority of 5,000 and Harry New, the administration pet, crushed by the weight of 20,000, they are asking who will be the next victim to fall beneath the righteous wrath of an outraged constituency?

Senator New's defeat is the most overwhelming repudiation and powerful rebuke yet administered and the Do Nothing Congress. Senator the Harding, Administration and New is the close personal friend and adviser of President Harding. He speaks for the administration upon the floor of the Senate. Although the President spoke no public word in his behalf, he was his silent ally, and all the leaders of the administration were for him. The press of both parties for weeks made it plain that Senator New's candidacy was to be a test of the Harding administration, and Senator New himself made that the issue in his campaign. Administration organs were claiming his election when all the returns showed Beveridge far in the lead.

It is clear that the Beveridge majority is a vote of protest within the party rather than an indorsement of any affirmative principles or policies A vote for Beveridge was the only way the Hoosier folk could show their disgust with the present Congress and the only way they could answer the appel to indirse the reactionary Republican administration and therefore New was defeated and Beveridge won.

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CARD OF THANKS

We desire in this manner to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and help during the sickness and death of our aunt, Miss Sophia Meloy. We also desire to express our appreciation for the use of their autos at the funeral.

James Steckman and sisters.

Revised Bible.

The Boston Transcript quotes this sentence from a story: "Having thrust a New Testament into his pocket before starting he now took it out and read the Twenty third Psalm."

New England in Revolt Against Republican Incompetence.

Concerning the recent Democratic gains in New England, the Boston Transcript, among the oldest and ablest of the leading Republican papers of New England, says:

"A Washington correspondent confesses that the Democratic gains in the recent New England municipal elections are giving considerable concern to the so-called leaders of the G. O. P. We say so-called because the Republican party today is a house divided against itself; it is woefully wanting in leadership at either end of Pennsylvania Avenue. And the drift of our New England cities away from the party in power is due in no small measure to the popular dissatisfaction among the plain people with the failure of the Republicans to raise up at Washington a leadership worthy of the party of Lincoln and Roosevelt.

"A strong leader in the White House might have been able to bring his party to a sense of party sponsorship. Whether Mr. Harding is unable to supply strong leadership, or whether he is awaiting 'the psychological moment,' is still a matter of popular debate. But the popularity of the administration is on the wane. The ringleaders of the Republican House, however, boast that Mr. Harding's easy-going acquiescence to date in their trespassing upon his prerogatives suits them. No doubt it does, but it does not meet the hope of thousands of Republicans and Democrats who voted the Republican ticket at the last national election.

"New Englanders may be more Republican than they are Democratic, but they have both the intelligence and the courage to vote against their party when their party ceases to serve the nation or to keep its campaign pledges."

New's Defeat Weakens "Administration Bloc" in Congress.

The effect of Senator New's defeat in the primaries upon the Harding administration is more or less obvious. Taken in connection with the prior defeat of Representative Copley in Illinois, it constitutes a terrible warning to the reactionaries. It is evidence that the folks back home are familiar with the emty record of this Republican Congress; that they resent the failure of the administration to keep its election pledges to reduce taxes and revive industry and business; that they condemn the seating of Newberry in a purchase seat in the Senate, and that they are generally as antagonistic to the administration as they are to the Congress.

It may be assumed herefore that the slogan "Stand by the Administration" will no longer make the appeal it has made to the Republicans in the Senate and House who are candidates for reelection. If the folks back home won't stand for the social and political favorites of the administration like Senator New they cannot be expected to stand for the lesser satillites. From now on it may be expected that the administration plans and policies will create more divisions among Republicans in both Houses than heretofore. The weak and wavering will be the first to desert the administration ship, and after that it is a matter of conjecture to what extent the desertion may go. It is an axiom of Congress, "When the water reaches the second deck, follow the rats."

The Monopoly Lobby at the Capital

Supplementing the statement of Frank R. Reid, who defeated Representative Ira C. Copley (Rep.) for renomination in the Eleventh Congressional District of Illinois that the tariff bill was written by multi-millionaires, the Washington correspondent of the New York Times throws additional light on how the pending tariff was framed by the multi-millionaires referred to in collaboration with the big interests. He says:

'It will be openly charged, it is said, that three of the largest dye producers in the country were present in an executive session when the rates were fixed by Republican members of the Finance Committee.

"Senator Poindexter charged today that the steel interests' lobbyists were the majority members of the Finance Committee when the duties on steel were decided upon. Senator Poindexter contends that the steel interests had manganese ore restored to the free list.

"'I intend to speak very frankly of the situation when I carry my fight to the Senate floor,' he said. "I shall make proper inquiry as to why representatives of the steel interests were admitted behind closed doors to the Finance Committee rooms when its Republican members were considering the steel and mangesite schedules in executive session.'"

Speaking on the first amendment to the tariff bill, Senator King (Dem., Utah,) said on this same subject:

"We will find in the galleries now representatives of some of these trusts and combines and the dye monopoly. We will find them in the corridors. They will be found in the city waiting for the passage of this bill to prey upon the American people."

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Syracuse Lady Tells How She Was Saved An Operation

Mrs. Hattie Church, 215 Putman Street, Syracuse, N. Y. says she will tell or write how she was saved an operation with Sorbol Quadruple, a colorless liniment.

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May 19.

Unofficial Republican Primary Vote
May 16 1922

	Reed	Lowery	Pepper	Burke	Alter	Pinchot	Kurtz	Blake	Rothrock	Detrick	Cessna	Derrick	Miller	Lohr	Campbell	Hoover	Gump	Replogle	Wright	Whitmore	Beloe
Bedford bor. E. W.	144	34	170	17	66	145	128	5	3	14	27	158	30	19	10	36	5	9	152	106	102
Bedford bor. W. W.	116	35	129	28	56	107	83	3	16	16	40	128	25	7	15	19	1	5	125	70	98
Bedford township	85	57	97	41	29	133	77	10	20	11	51	137	16	16	4	17	4	3	148	42	127
Bloomfield	21	12	16	16	18	15	6	2	1	13	17	29	2	6	9	5	1	9	14	18	21
Broad Top No 1	83	51	52	55	23	108	48	6	47	6	28	129	2	10	19	9	16	6	92	32	90
Broad Top No. 2	1	2	0	4	1	5	2	2	1	0	22	3	2	2	0	1	1	1	3	2	3
Coaldale	35	5	26	23	11	41	26	1	14	1	11	44	2	4	6	11	6	1	29	28	18
Coleram	31	42	30	55	13	61	8	2	4	5	64	54	8	19	12	4	2	9	58	43	37
Cumberland Valley	6	4	9	5	1	13	0	0	0	2	11	12	1	2	0	1	1	0	14	3	12
Everett	317	85	326	87	146	340	278	39	58	40	67	511	10	2	15	89	259	10	120	227	250
Harrison	103	35	63	37	22	96	31	2	25	37	34	95	14	26	0	4	8	2	118	56	69
Hopewell Township	70	39	58	57	21	120	43	5	55	6	35	144	8	6	4	37	28	14	72	44	101
Hopewell Borough	50	7	47	24	12	25	33	1	19	6	18	70	7	2	2	22	6	3	45	36	39
Hyndman	92	40	44	114	19	146	58	17	24	25	38	127	13	16	13	42	8	2	106	60	108
Juniata	30	15	56	12	54	20	56	1	7	5	5	8	33	32	6	11	3	28	27	59	15
Kimmell	30	4	27	7	1	32	22	1	5	1	1	10	1	23	2	0	0	0	34	5	29
King	82	29	45	40	14	83	35	2	14	22	22	52	18	20	38	2	1	2	53	31	39
Liberty	50	55	23	105	16	118	18	20	62	4	29	114	9	10	17	9	28	31	50	33	86
Lincoln	29	4	31	2	1	38	25	1	2	5	5	35	1	1	2	1	0	1	37	5	34
Londonderry	48	55	40	52	47	69	21	6	7	44	33	92	3	13	10	27	4	9	70	58	58
Mann	16	19	16	10	5	26	11	3	2	1	17	34	2	5	1	6	4	12	14	26	14
Mann's Choice	16	19	18	7	8	29	9	1	4	11	10	29	6	1	1	1	5	0	31	30	9
Monroe	97	34	45	35	56	86	55	16	22	22	29	142	6	8	10	14	10	18	69	81	67
Napier	80	31	40	48	35	89	41	4	7	16	57	79	22	25	6	13	4	9	101	74	58
New Paris	7	13	10	11	2	23	7	1	0	1	15		15	4	0	3	1	1	27	20	10
Pleasantville	29	25	30	7	19	41	6	0	2	27	22	44	4	9	2	0	0	1	61	25	26
Providence East	137	40	126	75	82	149	152	8	26	6	40	239	7	0	15	98	26	18	115	105	134
Providence West	140	40	120	80	73	183	74	30	98	22	43	216	1	6	17	63	67	25	112	81	172
Ramsburg	9	9	10	12	4	26	8	1	4	3	15	23	3	5	1	2	10	1	18	13	13
Saxton	116	32	83	106	30	161	79	14	16	59	22	166	26	4	21	4	24	40	91	69	100
Schellburg	34	13	43	8	25	38	25	0	0	12	19	29	21	7	4	2	3	5	49	59	6
Snake Spring	53	22	44	21	44	46	42	7	6	15	26	88	7	5	5	43	4	17	33	56	38
Southampton No 1	5	0	5	0	0	5	1	0	1	0	3	5	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	5
Southampton No. 2	7		13	5	16	11	15		4	2	6	21	8	4	3	9	6	3	10	22	5
St. Clairsville	5	16	10	11	5	14	4	1	1	6	10	7	2	15	26	0	0	0	0	17	8
St Clair East	56	50	60	40	10	111	49	3	17	21	27	58	27	33	39	3	0	0	86	53	65
St. Clair West	23	21	17	19	6	49	10	1	4	17	25	39	3	10	2	3	0	4	54	36	18
Union	22	10	25	5	15	23	10	2	1	4	19	25	5	5	1	0	0	1	39	18	15
Woodbury borough	67	4	70	11	52	33	62	1	0	9	11	30	45	2	1	13	6	44	17	49	29
Woodbury township	70	30	58	17	65	35	50	3	12	26	18	53	38	15	1	5	1	83	20	64	41
Woodbury South	89	47	106	21	56	91	70	2	7	29	49	114	18	21	2	51	12	24	73	76	75
	2544	1093	2244	1310	1177	2784	1782	224	628	572	1053	3343	475	430	336	710	575	465	2387	1929	2228

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HOW TO KEEP YOUR BABY WELL

Baby's Sleep

The babies that grow into the healthiest men and women are those that have the proper amount of sleep. The sleep habit should be formed in early infancy. A newborn baby should sleep 12 hours at night without interruption, except perhaps for one evening feeding. At this age, he will probably sleep 2 hours, both morning and afternoon, but should not sleep after 3 o'clock, so that he may be ready to go to bed at 6 o'clock in the evening.

The long period of night sleeping should be kept up throughout childhood but the day-time naps may be gradually shortened. At one year o lage, the baby may need one long and one short nap during the day. In the second year one nap is enough. This may be taken for an hour or two in the middle of the day. Even if the child does not sleep all this time, it is good for him to get the habit of resting in a quiet room.

The baby should if possible, sleep by himself. Not a few young babies have been smothered while lying in bed with an older person, some part of whose body was thrown over the baby's face during heavy sleep.

The room where baby sleeps should, if possible, be quiet and not too bright, though a baby should be taught to sleep through ordinary household noises. It should not be necessary to walk on tip-toe or to talk in whispers so as not to disturb him.

Baby should get the habit of going to sleep as he is put to his bed. Rocking him to sleep is a bad and unnecessary habit. He should not be picked up even if he cries. He must be made comfortable in every way, the light should be put out, the window opened, and mother should make sure he is not too warm, too cold, or wet. In the case of a bottle fed baby, sleeplessness often comes from overfeeding. If the baby sleeps lightly, gets awake often, and is easily awakened, he may be nervous from having been tickled, played with, or tossed about late in the day. Any form of excitement may interfere with his sleep.

During the warm summer months, take off all the baby's clothes but the diaper and cotton shirt. The night gown should be thin with low neck and short sleeves. It is a good idea to put the baby outdoors during the late afternoon and the early evening, but his eyes should be shaded from the sun and the flies and mosquitoes kept away from him.

In winter, of course, the baby should have warm covers. From the beginning train your baby to sleep at night. Some babies get a wrong start and make great trouble by turning night into day. Never give baby any soothing syrups or pacifiers to make him go to sleep.

He must be taught in early babyhood to sleep without these "helps" if he is to grow up a healthy, normal child. Just see that he is not overfed hungry or thirsty, and that he is comfortable—then, unless he is sick, he will sleep.

Next week's talk will be Baby's Bath.

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RESOURCES

Loans and discounts, including rediscounts, acceptances of other banks and foreign bills of exchange or drafts sold with indorsement of this bank	98,144.50	
Total loans		98,144.50
Overdrafts, unsecured,		346.98
U. S. Government securities owned:		
Deposited to secure circulation (par value)	16,250.00	
All other United States Government securities	84,152.46	
Total		100,402.46
Other bonds, stocks, securities, etc		119,882.80
Furniture and fixtures		2400.00
Real estate owned other than banking house		571.28
Lawful reserve with Federal Reserve Bank		14,843.18
Cash in Vault		39,388.83
Total of Items	575.24	
Miscellaneous cash items		169.74
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer and due from U. S. Treasurer		812.50
Total		376,956.27

LIABILITIES

Capital stock paid in		25,000.00
Surplus fund		15,000.00
Undivided profits	10,524.60	
Less current expenses, interests, and taxes paid	1,642.92	8,881.68
Circulating notes outstanding		16,250.00
Cashier's checks on own bank outstanding		575.24
Total of Items	650.80	
Demand deposits subject to Reserve:		
Individual deposits subject to check		84,067.02
Total of demands deposits subject to Reserve	84,067.02	
Time deposits subject to Reserve:		
Other time deposits		227,182.33
Total of time deposits subject to Reserve	227,182.33	
Total		376,956.27

State of Pennsylvania, County of Bedford, ss:

I, Harry V. Evans, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HARRY V. EVANS, Cashier

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 11th day of May, 1922

CHAS. R. RHODES, Notary Public.

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Correct: Attest:

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May 16, 1922

	Shull	Kerr	McSparran	Pattison	Bracken	McAvoy	Thompson	Mahady	Brumbaugh	Matt
Bedford bor. E. W.	73	69	83	69	9	5	59	24	66	74
Bedford bor. W. W.	32	33	34	23	4	5	24	7	24	33
Bedford township	79	70	84	68	7	8	60	22	61	82
Bloomfield	10	10	11	4	3	3	4	4	12	11
Broad Top No. 2	3	3	3	1	1	0	0	1	1	3
Broad Top No. 1	31	37	30	15	3	13	25	4	18	30
Coaldale	1	2	2	1	0	0	2	0		2
Colerain	40	39	48	31	7	4	28	13	41	42
Cumberland Valley	18	19	29	11	3	6	9	9	13	18
Everett	43	43	50	28	9	10	36	9	40	50
Harrison	15	16	16	7	7	2	14	4	11	18
Hopewell borough	10	11	11	5	0	0	7	3	10	12
Hopewell township	20	18	22	6	5	11	15	6	15	20
Hyndman	38	35	39	33	7	2	45	13	21	39
Juniata										
Kimmell	27	25	28	17		4	19	9	4	28
King	28	25	29	19	4	4	14	13	21	29
Liberty	43	3	48	28	9	3	29	12	32	49
Lincoln	1	1	1	1				1	1	1
Londonderry	14	13	15	11	1	3	10	4	8	13
Mann	19	17	15	11	4	3	15	2	10	15
Mann's Choice	27	20	30	24	2	1	21	6	20	27
Monroe	25	17	25	14	5	4	10	12	20	22
Napier	42	37	41	30	8	6	23	19	38	37
New Paris	17	19	21	15	6	1	10	7	16	21
Pleasantville	3	2	4	2	2	0	4	0	2	4
Providence East	6	6	6	3	1	3	5	2	6	6
Providence West	13	17	18	11	2	5	10	7	17	20
Rainsburg	10	7	1	10	1	1	8	0	6	14
Saxton	28	25	34	23	4	4	25	6	27	34
Schellburg	17	15	19	14	3	2	10	9	19	16
Snake Spring	25	20	27	12	3	10	23	3	20	27
Southampton No. 1	8	6	6	4	3	1	4	4	7	10
Southampton No. 3	36	33	34	6	2	24	24	5	30	35
St. Clairsville										
St. Cair East	22	21	21	16	4	1	19	2	13	26
St. Clair West	12	12	14	8	4	1	4	8	9	12
Union	4	4	5	1	1	2	2	2	4	5
Woodbury borough	10	10	12	8	1	2	6	4	10	10
Woodbury township	14	13	14	9	4	1	9	3	13	14
Woodbury South	54	49	56	38	9	11	34	23	57	61
	932	822	967	637	141	166	646	286	734	970

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Three story brick dwelling, the property of Mrs. Bernard Fletcher corner of Pitt and Bedford Streets. All modern conveniences. 12 rooms with convenient hall. Also two other two story houses, 6 rooms in one and 4 rooms in other. $8500 will purchase the three houses with other ground available for building.

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NEW SERVICE STATION

The new service station at West End will open soon for business. Announcement of opening in papers will be later.

"Can you tell me what steam is?" asked the examiner.

"Why, sure, sir," replied Patrick confidently. "Steam is—why—er—it's water gone crazy wid' the heat."

REYNOLDS DALE

Mr. Ambrose Ling and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ling, all of Johnstown, visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ling on Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lloyd Curry visited home folk at McVeytown from Saturday until Monday.

Mr. John Myers and daughter, of McKeesrock who came to Osterburg to attend the funeral of Mrs. Ed. Walker, of Seattle, Washington, whose body wasshipped to Osterburg and buried on Sunday, visited Mr. and Mrs. Adam Ickes, of this place, while here.

Most of our people are attending the evangelistic meeting at Fishertown, conducted by Rev. Polsten, of Eldorado and Miss Minnie Bassett, of Fishertown.

The sick of our community have all improved except Mrs. George Hammer, who is still confined to her room.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barefoot and daughter, Grace, of Alum Bank, were callers here on Saturday.

Mr. Earl Price made a business trip to Pittsburgh recently.

Mrs. Adam Ickes and Mrs. John Hammer were Bedford visitors on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Davis, of Eldorado, visited Mrs. Davis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hammer over Sunday.

Miss Louella Berkbile is spending a few days with home folks. After one year's hospital work, Miss Berkebile will sail for foreign mission wields to take up missionary work for the cause for which she has been educated. We wish her success.

Mr. Lloyd Curry visited his parents in Altoona on Sunday.

CONFEDERATED HOME ABATTOIRS CORPORATION, ALTOONA, PA.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS FOR THE ERECTION OF MEAT PACKING PLANT

Sealed proposals will be received by the above named corporation, at its office, No. 216 Commerce Building in the City of Altoona, up to Monday, May 29th, 1922 for the furnishing of all materials and labor for the erection complete in every detail (excepting certain machinery) of a Meat Packing Plant, including the Manufacturing and cooling building, Power House and Stock Pens, (principally reinforced concrete), on their property at Eldorado adjacent to the City of Altoona.

Full plans, specifications and drawings, conditions, stipulations and provisions can be secured at the office of the Corporation aforesaid. The contract will be let to the lowest and best bidder, reserving the right to repect any or all bids.

Confederated Home Abbattoris Corporation.
May 19—26.

BEDFORD ROUTE 5

Mr. High and his sister, of Johnstown, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wagoner.

Frank Hammer, of near Altoona, was a visitor at the Fetter Brothers' home over the week-end.

Norman C. Smith, of Johnstown, is spending a few days at his home here.

Miss Elsie Imler, of Imlertown, spent the week-end with her cousin, Miss Ettie Imler.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rock and children, of Schellburg, were visitors of Mrs. H. T. Smith on Sunday.

Grover Ickes, of Johnstown, spent the week-end at Ed. Prossers.

Miss Marian Holderbaum visited relatives in Johnstown several days recently.

Calvin Zimmers, of Lima, Ohio, is visiting his sisters, Mrs. D. L. Defibaugh and Miss Ella Zimmers.

Mr. and Mrs. George McCreary and son, George Jr., and Mrs. Swope of Sproul, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Holler and children, of Imlertown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Hershberger on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Christian Triplett, son Wayne and Mrs. Inez Knisely motored to Mt. Union on Sunday and spent the day with friends there.

Wilson Imler and family, of Imlertown, were Sunday visitors at Calvin Imlers'.

Howard Bloom and family and Mrs. Miranda Bloom, of Cessna were among those who spent Sunday at David Claycombs.

AN ALIBI THAT FAILS

If all the citizens were as active in politics as Mr. Daugherty (the Attorney General), the affairs of the United States would be capably administered at all times and there would be fewer charlatans in public places—Washington Post (Official Alibier of the Administration).

If all citizens active in politics had the same luck as Harry Daugherty, there would be very few of them, charlatans or others, in office. Since Mr. Daugherty's election to the Ohio legislature as a Foraker man and his vote in the legislature for John Sherman, Foraker's opponent, he has not succeeded in being elected to any office in Ohio. His present office which is appointive is his first time since that time. But as Senator Caraway says, the Constitution provides for appointive offices so that men who can't be elected can be appointed to them.

The Real Test.

"A speechmaker nowadays," said Uncle Eben, "ain't satisfied wif applause. De real test of his eloquaciousness comes at de conclusion, whe... collection."

Harding Backs Up Fall on Naval Oil Scandal

President Harding himself has assumed responsibility for the naval oil leases, according to the Washington Herald, and has elected to stand by Secretary Fall just as President Taft first stood by Secretary Ballinger in his controversy with Gifford Pinchot over National conservation.

In the meantime, the unanimous adoption of the LaFollette resolution for an investigation, following the original exposure by Senator Kendrick (Dem., Wyo.,) of the secret deal by which these naval oil reserves were turned over to private interests controlled by subsidiaries of the Stardard Oil Company, promises that a genuine investigation will be made of the oil scandal, and may extend to the designs of private interests upon the forests, coal and other mineral lands of the government.

The masterly speeches of Senators LaFollette and Kendrick upon this subject, and the mass of facts they have already presented, completely refute the reasons given by the Administration for making these leases. The press of the country is becoming aroused over this grab of the public domain, involving at is does an onslaugh upon the entire conservation plicy originated by President Roosevelt and upheld in part by President Taft and in whole by President Wilson.

There is no question but that the people of this country are devoted to the policy of the conservation of natural resurces, and that when they know the facts of this oil scandal that they will rally to the defense of that policy and visit their condemnation upon those who would destroy it.

Among the interesing facts in this connection is that all of our modern war vessels are oil burners, and 75 per cent of our great merchant fleet are the same. The destruction of the least af our naval oil reserves is therefore dangerous both to our commerce and our national defense.

EVERETT ROUTE 4

E. M. Simpson and son, Charles, autoed to Altoona on Sunday.

Harvey and Albert Mills were visiting their mother on Sunday.

Helen Steckman was a recent visitor at Frank Shaws.

C. D. Mearkle and Mrs. George Andrews, who recently underwent operations at the Western Maryland Hospital, are slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. William Smith and children and Mabel and Harold Ferguson were Sunday visitors at the home of Frank Smith.

Elwin Mearkle, wife and son and Mrs. Mary Mearklo spent Sunday at the home of Roy Sheare.

Earl and Herbert Garlick left for Ohio on Friday, where they have employment for the summer.

Visitors at the home of E. M. Simpson on Sunday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank Karns and son, Mr. and Mrs. Scott and baby, Nellie Williams and Mabel and Harold Ferguson.

Tuesday, May 23, is the day set for cleaning the church and cemetery at Rock Hill.

CHARTER NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made to the Governor of the State of Pennsylvania on Wednesday the 14th day of June, 1922, by J. W. Hillegass, W. F. Fauple, Frank W. Scheller, C. Benson Culp and James A. Miller, under the Act of Assembly of the Commonwealth, entitled, "An Act to provide for the incorporation and regulation of certain Corporations," approved April 29th, 1874, and the supplements thereto, or, as the case may be, for the character to an intended Corporation to be called Bedford County Oil and Gas Company the character and object of which is the leasing, holding and owning of land and developing the same by mining and producing oils, gas and minerals, and for these purposes to have and possess and enjoy all the rights, benefits and privileges of said Act of Assembly and its supplements.

E. M. Pennell,
Solicitor.
May 19—June 29.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

ESTATE OF Lee Furry, late of South Woodbury Township, Bedford County, Pa., Deceased.

Letters testamentary on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment and those having claims to present the same without delay to

L. B. Furry,
624 Somerset Street.
Johnstown. Pa
Executor.

Simon H. Sell,
Attorney.
May 19—June 23.

The defeat of Senator New, the administration candidate for renomination in Indiana by former Senator Beveridge, is only another reason why President Harding should continue to prefer the convention system to the direct primary If the nomination had been made by a small group of blear-eyed men in a smoke filled room at 2 A. M., New undoubtedly would have won.

Who is to succeed Atlee Pomerene as Senator in Congress from Ohio?—New York Times.

If the writer had three guesses, they would be as follows:
First Guess—Atlee Pomerene.
Second Guess—A. Pomerene.
Third Guess—Senator Pomerene

MAN NEEDS 'EM STILL

The hired men between their chews had stopped and spat and aired their views where listening cows could hear the news. So Jersey Jane nudged Guernsey Ann shifted her cud and thus began. "I hear that Henry Ford allows that he can make some flivver cows, and since he never works by halves, no doubt some motorcycle calves. Do you believe, good sister Ann, that we will lose our use to man? Is our long history complete, and will they make us into meat?" Said Guernsey Ann to Jersey Jane, "I share your fears, I share your pain." To hold his peace no longer able, thus spake old Dobin from his stable: "O pray excuse this horse laugh grinny, but wouldn't Lizzie's milk be tinny? It makes me smile, it makes me snicker, it makes me whinny, neigh and nicker. Your dams have known the herdsman's care since Eve was young and Eden fair. You topped with cream man's coffee cup ere good old Hector was a pup, and folks won't risk their lights and livers by drinking milk that comes from flivvers. So Jane and Ann pray cease to weep, swallow your cuds and go to sleep. You still shall serve your human lords in spite of fifty Henry Fords."

Bob Adams.

DEEDS RECORDED

S. B. Stoler to S. H. Zimmerman, 3 lots in Liberty Twp., $900.

D. M. Stoler by Ex. to S. H. Zimmerman, 3 lots in Liberty Twp., $900.

Earl G. Whetstone to Harry E. Laher, tract in East Providence Twp., $430.

Margaret Ann Grubb to Shelley C. Grubb, one-half interest lot in Monroe Twp., $500.

Cyrus B. Rhodes to George M. Moore, lot in Liberty Twp., $1200.

J. Emory Means to Walter H. Bowman, tract in Monroe Twp., $1600.

John B. Nicholson to John McIntyre, lot in Coaldale Boro and Broad Top Twp., $5000.

Chester H. Horton to Mary Askey lot in Broad Top Twp., $600

George W. Riddle to Samuel W. Riddle, tract in King Twp., $1.00.

Robert M. Housel to Fred D. Hockenberry, lot in Bedford Boro., $1850.

Nathaniel Thomas to B. C. Cutchall, lot in Broad Top Twp., $1200.

Henry Sturgeon to Trustees Morrison Cove Home for Aged, lot in Bloomfield Twp., $40.

Alvin L. Little to J. Homer Stoler, tract in Liberty Twp., $1.00.

Chester Maffott to J. Homer Stoler tract in Liberty Twp., $1.00.

Saxton Atheletic Ass'n to John E. Zimmerman, tract in Liberty Twp., $2500.

Alvin L. Little to John E. Zimmerman, tract in Liberty Twp., $250.

J. Homer Stoler to John Zimmerman, tract in Liberty Twp., $1800.

Mt. Pleasant Union Chapel Trustees, to Trustees M. E. Church, at Langdondale, lot in Broad Top Twp., $1.00.

DUNNING'S CREEK CHARGE

Pleasant Hill. May 21, Sunday School 9 a. m., preaching at 10 a. m., Sunday School Convention District No. 8 in St. Paul's Reformed church, Cessna, on May 21 at 2.30 and 7.30 p. m.

FRIEND'S COVE REFORMED CHARGE

Rev. R. R. Jones, Pastor

Rainsburg: Sunday school, 9:30; church service, 10.30 a. m; Trinity: Sunday School, 1 30, church service, 2,30 p. m.

ST. CLAIRSVILLE REFORMED CHARGE

Rev. John A. Borger, Pastor

Trinity, Osterburg: Sunday school at 9 a. m., preaching service, at 10; St. Paul's, Imler. Sunday school at 1 p. m., preaching services at 2 p. m., Missionary Society at 7.30.

FRIEND'S COVE LUTHERAN PASTORATE

Rev. J. A. Brosius, Minister

Services for Sunday, May 21: St. James Church, Sunday School 9 a. m., regular service, 10 a. m; Bortz Church, Sunday School, 2 p. m., regular service 3 p. m

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Chapter XII
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and watched with tormented soul the gorgeous display of riches.

She saw Evelyn in all her beauty and the resplendent Marcus; also the haughty Mrs. Robertson, leaning on the arm of Robert Percival. How pale his face was! Great tears blinded Polly's eyes as she wondered vaguely and bewilderedly if he ever thought of her.

It was a long, sad night which she spent after that event, but still she lived on and carried her heavy burden in silence. Week by week she counted on her slender fingers the months which would have to be lived through before Daddy Hopkins could come home. Oh, how she wanted to steal into his arms, to lay her head against him and to be sure he was in the Silent City for ever and ever! Jerry must have him, too, and many were the promises she made to the child during the wild fall weather of the Storm country that perhaps tomorrow Daddy would come, perhaps the next day, until the child's face too gathered an expression as if he were always listening for footsteps outside the hut.

The autumn rains had no more than set in before Marcus MacKenzie took up again his persecutions of the squatters. On his return from his wedding trip he and Evelyn went to live with Mrs. Robertson for the winter.

One day Percival approached MacKenzie with another request that he use his influence to liberate Jeremiah Hopkins.

"It's wrong for his daughter to stay in such a place alone with that frail child, Marc," protested Robert earnestly.

Evelyn looked up from her sewing. In her own happiness the thought that her handsome cousin loved the squatter girl had lapsed in her memory. Her eyes went from his troubled face to her husband's. Marc's expression was dark and forbidding, and his full red lips dragged down at the corners! Her heart fluttered at the thought of his rage if by chance he got an inkling of her duplicity.

"The huzzy won't be there long, my friend," returned Marcus, gritting his teeth. "I've a plan to put her out with the [illegible]. Why you stand by those people [illegible] always puzzled me, Percival."

"[illegible] a forlorn lot," replied Robert, [illegible]. "Now, what about Hopkins?"

A look of contempt settled on MacKenzie's face, and he flung out his hands as if throwing away something [illegible].

"[illegible] serve his time," he retorted [illegible], "and when he does come [illegible] brats won't be where he left [illegible]."

[illegible] her eyes on her husband, [illegible] uttered an exclamation. How [illegible] and forceful he seemed with [illegible] network of wrinkles across his brow [illegible]. Anger distended his nostrils and the look he had fixed upon Robert was full of compelling strength.

"[illegible] both sickening," she broke out [illegible]. "Perfectly sickening!"

"Now, listen to me, Eve," ejaculated [illegible] turning to her. "You know [illegible] that I'm interested in the Hopkins family—"

She [illegible] not look at him until his sentence was chopped off in confusion. Then she threw him a peculiar glance.

"[illegible] know that well enough," she rejoined, dropping her eyes, "but what makes me so impatient is that the second you and Marc come within speaking [illegible], you begin an argument about [illegible]. Why can't you both make a [illegible] not to talk about those people?"

[illegible] walked to the window and [illegible] out into the garden. A nervous [illegible] came from MacKenzie.

"[illegible] do it, Eve," asserted Robert [illegible], flinging around. "Something's [illegible] to be done for Polly Hopkins. She's so young and unhappy!"

"Young and pretty, you mean, Bobs," laughed Marcus disagreeably. "Why don't you marry the trollop and put an end to your philanthropy? Bennett's dead; so he can't interfere with you!"

Percival's fists doubled as fleeing blood left his face wax-white.

Throwing her work into a basket at her side Mrs. MacKenzie arose.

"Marcus," she snapped, "you're perfectly disgusting! Now here I speak my mind! I don't ever intend to sit in the same room with you two unless you keep your conversation off the squatters."

She marched to the door, her lovely head held high; and Marcus strode after her.

"Come back here, Evelyn," he ordered. "How dare you talk like that to me?"

"I [illegible] I meant," she told him [illegible] refuse to listen to [illegible] City. Now [illegible] you?"

She [illegible] pale, [illegible] swayed [illegible] going to fall. [illegible] broken and all that Marc [illegible] for him. Everything [illegible] young bride faded from [illegible].

"[illegible] the matter, dear heart?" he [illegible] "Sit down a minute! There! I [illegible] very well, Eve darling. I didn't mean to be brutal."

She knew he did not require an answer and gave him none; she only sobbed hysterically against his arm.

"Neither did I, Evelyn," said Robert, in a low voice.

He went to his cousin's side instantly, begging her forgiveness. The girl turned her head and impulsively kissed his hand.

"Never mind now, Bob," she said faintly. "Please go away like a good boy."

After Percival's departure, Marcus gathered his wife into his arms and sat down with her on his knee.

"There now, sweetheart!" he soothed, and he drew her head to his shoulder and kissed her. "Don't cry any more!"

"It makes me so nervous, Marc, dear," she explained, sitting up, "to hear quarrels between you and Robert. And—and—I don't feel very well."

"Come Back Here, Evelyn," He Ordered. "How Dare You Talk Like That to Me?"

MacKenzie studied her keenly.

"Then I'll get a doctor today," he exclaimed, much concerned.

A flush covered the girl's face, and she hid it against his coat.

"I don't need a doctor, darling," she whispered, "but I do want care and quiet. That's all!"

A strange unknown thrill shot through the man.

"Look at me, beloved," he begged, quivering. He forced his wife's face up to his and searched deep into the blue eyes. "Eve, my love, my own darling!" was all he could say.

Then Evelyn rested in supreme happiness against her husband's breast for a long time.

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One cold blustering morning a little while before Thanksgiving. Evelyn MacKenzie came down to breakfast alone. She was very pale, and her eyelids showed signs of weeping. The night before her husband had let loose the reins upon his violent temper. He had arrived home at a late hour, chafing and irritable.

Awaking his wife from a sound sleep, he demanded to know if she were cognizant of the fact that Robert was trying to obtain a pardon for Hopkins. Several representative citizens, among whom were two distinguished lawyers, had approached him on the subject.

"And that isn't all," he fumed. "I started something else today, and he's trying to block me."

He jerked at his collar so violently that the stiff linen tore with a whining sound.

"D—n that thing," he exploded and threw the ruined neckwear on the floor. "I won't stand any more interference.

"If you don't want to bring Bob to terms," he went on, "I will! That's my word! I've held my peace as long as I can!—Good God, now, don't start to cry!"

But in spite of his imperious command, Evelyn had wept long after her husband's heavy breathing told her that he was asleep.

Next morning walking into the dining room [illegible], she found her cousin Robert standing near the window, [illegible] his pockets. She went straight to his side.

"Bob," she breathed.

The young man turned upon her and caught the hand she laid on his arm.

"You've got to help me now, Eve," he began, without other response to her greeting. "It's all very well for Marc to take a high hand in some matters, but this thing he's planning is brutal."

"I can't do anything with him," cried the girl. "He told me about it last night; and I talked and talked till I'm hoarse. Bob, why don't you go away somewhere?"

Robert shook his head dismally.

"I can't Eve, I can't," he returned. "I know what Polly is, but she's young and—and—"

He paused, brushed back his hair and hurried on:

"I love her, that's all! If Marc continues in— Ah, here he comes."

The door flung open, and MacKenzie strode into the room. He came to a halt at the sight of his young wife and her cousin.

"What's up?" he exclaimed testily.

"Bob wants to talk to you, dear," explained Evelyn, in a conciliatory tone. She had learned in the past months that suppressing her own temper was to travel along the lines of least resistance.

"Well, have some breakfast," was the ungracious reply. "Sit down, both of you."

"I've had my breakfast," answered Robert. "I waited to have a word with you, Marc, before you went into town. I want to buy of you at your own price all the land the squatters are on. That would relieve—"

"Squatters again, eh?" came in quick interruption. "My dear Robert," MacKenzie placed his fingers on the back of his chair and watching his wife, proceeded, "I really dislike to be abrupt in my own family and in your house, but you know there is such a thing as a man minding his own business."

A deep flush rose to Percival's brow.

"I am minding my own business," he shot back. "If it's your will to persecute a girl who's almost dead with grief, it's mine to help her if I can. This last thing you're trying to put over is abominable!"

In rough impatience Marcus sat down, Evelyn dropping into her place opposite him.

"From your interest one would think you had a more intimate reason than just humanity, Robert," he sneered broadly. "Is that it?"

Into Evelyn's pale face rushed a mass of color, and she shrank back as if she had received a blow. As quickly the flush receded, leaving her whiter than before.

Robert came forward to the table.

"You're perfectly right, Marc," he confessed almost inaudibly. "I do love Polly Hopkins—I—I—"

MacKenzie interrupted him by rising to his feet, his handsome face suffused with anger.

"Then it's time I cleared her 'out,'" he answered. "A squatter in the family—a thief—a liar—"

Mrs. MacKenzie struggled to her feet and began to cry.

"I can't stand any more," she whimpered, "I simply can't, Marc. The way you both quarrel over those people gets on my nerves. You promised me, Marcus, you wouldn't ever do it again."

All the concentrated rage he had gathered in the past few weeks burst forth in a vicious snap.

"Then tell your precious cousin to keep his nose out of my affairs, my dear! I'm perfectly capable of attending to them. I don't wish to sell that land, but I do intend to get rid of that tribe; and both of you might just as well understand it now as later."

He said it with such forceful determination that Evelyn threw an entreating glance at Robert. Uttering a sharp exclamation, he turned swiftly and went out.

The next few hours he spent in Ithaca, trying to turn aside the blow that threatened to fall upon Polly Hopkins. But so great was MacKenzie's influence that Percival's own friends shook their heads when he approached them.

Utterly cast down by the futility of his morning's work on behalf of the squatter girl, Robert Percival wended his way to the Silent City. He could not let the relentless law burst in upon Pollyop unprepared. Through the settlement he hurried to the Hopkins shanty and paused before it. There still above the door was the printed sign.

"If your heart's loving and kind come right in; if it ain't scoot off."

Ah, surely he did love her in spite of what she had done. As a traveler in a dry and thirsty land longs for fresh water, so he desired Polly Hopkins. Vain had been his efforts to tear her image from his heart. Often he had been tempted to marry her and take her out of her dreadful circumstances, but each time the desire came to him, the vision of the dying farmer killed it.

Broodingly his eyes swept the narrow lake and the eastern, rearing hills. He remembered how he and Polly Hopkins had sat together on the ragged rocks, watching the clouds sweep over the sky above, like flocks of birds across wonder-blue water.

With a groan he threw off these memories, and striding forward, he rapped on the hut door.

Polly Hopkins opened it, looked at him, bent her head but spoke no word.

"I want to talk to you, child," was the excuse he gave, and still silent, she moved backward and allowed him to enter the room.

oppressed by his utter failure to keep the promise made that day before "The Greatest Mother in the World," and knew not how to explain it.

"Polly," he had commenced, when Pollyop, because she was so tired, so forlornly helpless, began to sob bitterly. The sight of him after all these weary days quite overcame her.

"Don't," he interjected impetuously. "Please don't do that."

Her tears only added to the remorse that scourged him and gave new vitality to his passion; but, like a wall of fire between them, burned his jealousy of Oscar Bennett.

"I want to help you," he stammered.

Pollyop shook her head.

"You can't do nothin' unless you get my daddy back," she whispered. "Jerry'll die—"

This gave a slight opening, and Robert grasped at it eagerly.

"I came to talk about him," he interrupted. "Now please don't cry any more. Don't! Sit down a minute." He placed her in a chair, going white as his hand touched her. "You say the child is ill, Pollyop?" he went on, but paused as Polly nodded her head.

"Yep, he's sick all right," she returned, wiping her eyes.

"Then perhaps if he went away somewhere, to a place where he'd have good food and care until his father—"

At his words the girl suddenly grew rigidly erect, but the piteous trembling of her lips made the young man avert his eyes.

"Squatter babies grow on the grub squatters give 'em," she replied huskily. "All they need is bread an' beans an' love," she hesitated and swallowed hard before she continued: "An' lots of love! That's what's ailin' Wee Jerry. He wants his daddy!"

"But, Polly!" Robert tried to check the flow of her words, but she ran on:

"He'd die sure in a strange place. Nope! Jerry stays in the shanty with me."

There was such an air of finality in her inflection and appearance that Percival groaned within himself and nervously paced the length of the room and back. He simply could not tell her. How could he place another burden upon the already bowed young shoulders?

Then the matter was taken out of his hands. The roll of carriage wheels, an unusual sound in the settlement, came distinctly to their ears and caused the girl to throw him a startled, questioning glance. Before he could give her the least warning, the door flung open, and MacKenzie, followed by three men, came into the shanty.

Marcus had not expected to find his wife's cousin there after the scene of that morning. A sneer tugged at the corners of his mouth. Then, remembering that he represented the county, a slow smile curled his lips.

"So you're here, young man," he snarled. "Well, muddling in this business won't do you any good. Didn't I tell you yesterday what I intended to do; and you had the nerve to upset my wife about it. You're making yourself the laughing stock of the whole town! Now you'd better go if you don't want to witness a little comedy that'll stick in your memory for many a long day."

The speaker turned to Pollyop.

"Where's that boy?" he demanded.

Involuntarily Polly looked toward the cot where Wee Jerry lay asleep.

"You mean the baby— Oh, you don't mean Jerry?" she questioned dully.

He held out a paper which the squatter girl took as if she had been in a stupor. She held it up, tried to make out what was printed on it, then dropped her hand hopelessly to her side.

With an exclamation of pity, Robert went to her and took the fingers that clutched the paper.

"Polly," he said swiftly, "you'll have to give Jerry up for a little while, just a little while—"

She snatched her hand away, the document fluttering to the floor. In a moment she had picked up the child from the cot and hugged him to her breast.

"Old Marc ain't come for the baby, has he?" she shrieked, her tone high-pitched and strained. "He's mine, Jerry is. I'm goin' to keep 'im here till Daddy comes home; so you might as well all scoot."

In the stillness that fell as her voice broke, each man was impressed with the martyrdom she was passing through. Robert had never imagined a person could go so white and still be alive. With an ejaculation, hoarse and defiant, he sprang to her side.

"Polly," he cried. "My God, don't look that way! Listen to me!"

"Can he take the baby?" fell monotonously from her blue lips.

"That's just what he can do, Miss Hopkins," thrust in MacKenzie. "The law says a child can't stay in a place like this. You'd have seen that if you'd taken the pains to read the paper. Put some wraps on the child, Miss!"

Polly stood with Jerry gripped tightly against her; and, frightened, the little boy began to cry.

"I want my Daddy Hopkins, Pollyop," he whimpered brokenly.

Polly looked so dreadful that for a moment MacKenzie was silent. Her eyes had an expression of such hate and deadly determination in their singular brown depths that for a moment he held his breath.

"If you take him," she spoke at last, —"why, d—n you, I'll kill you!"

At first MacKenzie eyed her contemptuously. What did such a girl's [illegible] mean to him? Then he [illegible]ed. And that laugh stung the [illegible] girl more than if he had [illegible] her.

"[illegible] our Daddy Hopkins," she

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

ESTATE OF Daniel B. Weyant, late of East St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration having been granted the undersigned upon the estate of Daniel B. Weyant, late of East St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pa., all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

W. Clarence Weyant,
Administrator
Cresson, Pa.

John N. Minnich,
Attorney
Apr. 28 June 2

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

ESTATE OF Daniel W. Hockenberry, late of West Providence Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned executors named in the last will and testament of Daniel W. Hockenberry, late of West Providence Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Emory J. Hockenberry,
Harry F. Hockenberry,
Executors.

Frank E. Colvin,
Attorney.
Apr. 14 May 19.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

ESTATE OF Josiah Manges, late of East St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned executors named in the last will and testament of Josiah Manges, late of East St. Clair Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Joseph Manges,
Bedford, Pa.
B. F. Manges,
Reynolds Dale,
Executors.

F. C. Reiley,
Attorney.
May 5—12—19—26 June 2—9

EXECUTORS' NOTICE

ESTATE OF Silas W. Fletcher, late of Monroe Township, Bedford County, Pa., Deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned executors named in the last will and testament of Silas W. Fletcher, late of Monroe Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Marion E. Fletcher,
Clearville, Rt. 3
Frank R. Fletcher,
Roy M. Fletcher,
Everett, Pa.
Executors.

George Points,
Attorney.
May 5 June 9.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to The Pennsylvania Commission of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, under the provisions of the Public Service Law, for a Certificate of Public Convenience evidencing the Commission's requisite approval of the consolidation and merger of Broad Top Power Company, Hopewell Power Company, Hopewell Township Power Company, Bedford Township Power Company Wood Township Power Company, Liberty Township Power Company, Carbon Township Power Company, Snake Spring Township Power Company, Coaldale Power Company and West Providence Township Power Company into a new corporation to be known as BROAD TOP POWER COMPANY.

A public hearing upon this application will be held in the rooms of the Commission at Harrisburg, on the twenty-fifth day of May, 1922, at 9:30 o'clock A. M., when and where all persons in interest may appear and be heard, if they so desire.

James Collins Jones,
Solicitor.

May 12—19.

Some folks figguhs dey's hurtin' de church w'en dey gets mad and quits, but dey's wrong 'bout dat. Hit don't nevuh hurt de tree fur de rotten apples t' fall off.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

ESTATE OF Franklin D. Manges, late of Harrison Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters of administration on the above estate having been granted to the undersigned, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make prompt payment, and those having claims to present the same without delay to

Martin L. Manges,
Buffalo Mills, R. D. 1, Pa.
Administrator.

Harry C. James,
Attorney
Apr. 28 June 2.

AUDITOR'S NOTICE

The undersigned Auditor, appointed by the Orphans Court of Bedford County, to pass upon exceptions to the amount, and upon claims presented, and to construe the will of Harrison Fetter, late of Bloomfield Township, and make full and complete distribution of the balance in the hands of John E. Fetter, administrator, c. t. a. of said Harrison Fetter, deceased, to and among the parties entitled to receive the same, will sit for the purpose of his appointment at the Court House in Bedford, Pa., on Friday, May 19, 1922, at ten o'clock, when and where all parties interested shall appear and present their claims, or be debarred from participation in said funds.

Frank E. Colvin,
Auditor.

Apr. 28 May 5—12.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

ESTATE OF Rebecca Defibaugh, late of Monroe Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned executor named in the last will and testament of Rebecca Defibaugh late of Monroe Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Aaron D. Stayer,
Clearville, Pa.
Executor.

Emory D. Claar,
Attorney.
May 12 June 16.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

ESTATE OF Mary Ellen Grubb, late of Monroe Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased.

Letters testamentary having been granted the undersigned executrix named in the last will and testament of Mary Ellen Grubb, late of Monroe Township, Bedford County, Pa., deceased, all persons having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent are hereby notified to present the same without delay for payment, and all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment of the same.

Margaret Ann Grubb,
Executrix.
Clearville, Pa. Rt. 3

George Points,
Attorney.
May 12 June 16.

COW TESTING REPORT

During the month of April, 13 cows in the First Bedford County Cow Testing Association produced over 40 lbs. fat, 16 cows produced over 1,000 lbs milk and 2 cows were sold as unprofitable.

The honor roll for April is as follows:

Owner	Breed	Lbs. Milk	Lbs. Butter-fat.
David L. Baker	G. H.	1003	41.1
David L. Baker	P. B. H.	1619	50.2
Andrew Baker	P. B. H.	1205	40.2
D. C. Detwiler	G. G.	1196	44.2
D. C. Detwiler	G. G.	1296	54.4
D. C. Detwiler	G. G.	1494	58.3
R. B. Reasy	P. B. H.	1141	39.9
R. B. Reasy	P. B. H.	1025	30.7
R. B. Reasy	P. B. H.	1305	56.1
R. B. Reasy	G. H.	1025	32.8
Albert B. Replogle	Mixed	1040	33.3
H. B. Hull	P. B. H.	1003	35.1
C. P. Holsinger	G. H.	979	42.1
C. P. Holsinger	Mixed	741	40.0
Mearl Eshelman	G. H.	1101	34.1
Ranson Furry	G. H.	1133	36.7
Ranson Furry	PP. B. H.	1067	30.2
A. T. Replogle	Mixed	412	25.9 in 18 days
A. T. Replogle	G. J.	805	49.1
Nelson Guyer	G. J.	881	43.2
Andrew Weimer	G. J.	1000	46.0

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WASHINGTON HAS A 'HIDDEN MYSTERY'

PUBLIC DOES NOT YET KNOW TRUTH ABOUT BUREAU OF ENGRAVING DISMISSALS.

CIVIL SERVICE IS CONCERNED

Administration Maintains Silence; Secretary Mellon Disclaims Responsibility and All Guesses So Far Have Seemed to Be Incorrect.

By EDWARD B. CLARK

Washington.—According to the viewpoints of protectionists and free traders or near free traders, the tariff is either a blessing or a curse, a tax or a reward. This year the tariff according to everybody's viewpoint is pretty much of a puzzle.

The bonus, which also according to the viewpoints is a blessed thing or a blameworthy thing, also is much of a puzzle. The tariff and the bonus, therefore, are twin puzzles confronting the majority in congress for solution.

The tariff with all its intricacies and with all its uncertainties arising out of lack of definite knowledge of economic conditions in Europe, and the bonus with all its perplexing features, are as nothing in the way of a puzzle to something of which the world already knows and which happened recently in the bureau of engraving and printing. It is the chief puzzle of them all and members of congress are not alone in trying to find an answer. All Washington is interested, and to a considerable extent all the country is interested. Certain it is that there is concern among the federal employees everywhere throughout the country in this recent happening.

Time in its passing has not carried away with it interest, suspicion and some other things connected with the discharge a while ago of thirty-one employees of the bureau of engraving and printing. Some few of these discharged ones have been reinstated. The others still are minus their jobs.

"The Hidden Mystery."

To this story there well might be transferred the title to a book which was circulated during the war and which occupied the attention of certain officials of government. This book was called "The Hidden Mystery," although why it was necessary to use the adjective "hidden" before the word "mystery" no one seems to know.

Officials of the government, including the President of the United States, have had their attention called sharply to the so-called hidden mystery of the bureau of engraving and printing and in a way probably not altogether to the liking of these officials, high and low.

Washington is trying to find an answer to the question: "Why were thirty-one employees of the bureau fired by executive order?"

A dozen or so answers, more or less haphazard, have been made to the question by persons who think they know and by others who give answers for the sake of getting mental employment and for nothing else. There was a rumor at first that there had been in the bureau a duplication of government securities, to the possible resulting loss of security holders. Then there came the flat statement in denial: "Nothing to it."

Then it was guessed that labor union and anti-labor union activities within the bureau had caused dislocation of the machinery of orderly procedure. Mayhap there is something in this and then again mayhap there is nothing in it.

Other answers have been advanced and one of them, of course, is that the discharges resulted from the desire of the party in power to open the higher civil service positions in the various bureaus of government so that a ready approach might be offered by this administration or any other administration to men and women to whom the wish was to give employment.

Administration Says Nothing.

The administration has kept entirely silent on this dismissal matter, and so have the officials of the department in which the bureau has a place. In fact, Secretary Mellon of the Treasury department, which has jurisdiction over the bureau of engraving and printing, did not know that the dismissals were to be ordered. Apparently the whole thing was done through the Department of Justice.

The natural conclusion, of course, was that the politicians wanted the places for favorites of theirs, but inasmuch as virtually every vacated place has been filled by promotion, a good deal of the edge has been taken off of this charge.

It is known that for years some of the cabinet officers of the various administrations have held that as a rule not as much work can be got out of civil service employees as out of the men and women whose positions are not so guarded. There has been a lot of criticism of the civil service recently, and some officials here say there is only one way in which the civil service may be maintained, and at the same time there may be maintained with it efficiency in the offices where the employees whose places are safeguarded are at work. The proposed solution is the appointment of men who are known as business managers as the chiefs of all bureaus of government, men who will be unafraid to see to it that their subordinates, whether of civil service or not of civil service appointment, shall give an honest day's work for an honest day's pay.

Foreign Honors Bestowed on Many.

Thousands of American civilians and soldiers are wearing today buttons or ribbons showing that they received foreign decorations for valor or service during the great war. Uncle Sam's servants, that is men who are in his employment in any public capacity, must get the permission of congress before they can accept from the hands of any foreign government or king a gift of any kind.

The acceptances of military decorations given for service in the great war were authorized by congress. An American in civilian life is not compelled to get the congressional permission to accept a foreign decoration or a foreign gift.

Over in the State department there is a curious collection of odds and ends of gifts and decorations which were sent in other days to Americans in official life who never were given permission to accept them. There are a few members of congress today to whom certain things have been offered by foreign governments, but who as yet have not received permission to wear them or use them.

In an elder day congress at intervals would give leave to several army and navy officers and a few civilian employees of the government to accept gifts from foreign potentates. Congress always was rather chary about taking this action, but on occasion when it was shown that some men really had won the decorations or deserved the gifts and that there was no political or diplomatic intention in their conferring, congress would relent.

Mr. Root Called Them "Gentlemen."

When Elihu Root was secretary of state he did something which was regarded as curious. In a communication to congress asking permission to turn over to waiting ones some of the decorations of foreign governments intended for them he asked leave "that certain gentlemen be authorized to accept orders from foreign governments."

Ordinarily the officials of the State department were content to speak collectively of those of whom they were writing as "persons," but Mr. Root for some reason or other inserted the word "gentlemen" for "persons." Congress made somewhat merry at the time over the distinction which Mr. Root made without probably intending to make any at all. The trouble was that the secretary of state did not include in his request the names of all those who had been offered presents by foreign governments, and the entirely gratuitous assumption was that those whose names were not mentioned were not gentlemen.

Since the day that the United States became a world power every nation on the face of the globe has sought to give its officials presents of one kind or another. Once on a time the emperor of Ethiopia was one of the monarchs to come bearing gifts. It was his desire to present a ribbon, a pin and a star, the symbols of an order which has existed since the day of King Solomon and the Queen of Sheba, to R. P. Skinner, one-time consul at Marseilles.

Permission Often Long Delayed.

It took King Edward VII of England a long time before he could get permission from the American congress to give a silver ink stand to George H. Bridgman, then American consul at Kingston, Jamaica, and a silver writing set to Arthur M. Beaupre, who was then United States minister to the Argentine republic. Edward also had at one time in stock a large number of souvenir coronation medals, a few swords and several watches which he wanted to hand over with the expression of his kingly regard to American army and navy officers and to several lighthouse keepers who owed allegiance to this republic. It took Edward a long time to have his kingly way in the matter.

The shah of Persia had to wait two years before he was given leave to present a diamond snuff box to Richmond Pearson, who at one time was our minister at Teheran. The khedive of Egypt wanted to bestow on Ethelbert Watts the decoration of the Order of Osmanie, but there was a delay of several years.

A good many years ago an emperor of China picked out twenty Americans whom he wished to honor with the decoration of the Double Dragon. Congress allowed a score of its country's citizens to receive the decoration, but if the truth must be told it should be set down that these decorations were generally known as belonging to the second class of gifts. In other words, the emperor was not paying a full compliment to the twenty selected Americans when he conferred the Double Dragon upon them. Perhaps the Triple Dragon would have been better.

Cocoa Production Increases.

During the last hundred years, cocoa production has gone forward by leaps and bounds, principally on account of increased demand. It is quite true that improvements have been made in methods of cultivation, as well as in the preparation of the cacao beans, but this has been done with a view to obtaining more cocoa, not better cocoa. While, at the beginning of last century, a trifling quantity sufficed to meet the world's need now more than 850,000,000 pounds of cocoa beans are used every year.

The Lure of Art

"What is a dapper?"

"So far as I have been able to [illegible] replied Miss Cavendish [illegible] is a [illegible] trying to [illegible] without [illegible] dance or [illegible]

PENNSYLVANIA STATE ITEMS

Wilkes-Barre.—Ernest C. Pepperling, who became jealous when his pal, Carl Hoffman, preferred the company of a girl to that of his own, and went to the Hoffman house, where he shot Hoffman and then turned the pistol on himself, was adjudged insane and committed to an asylum by decree of court. Pepperling and Hoffman had been pals for many months. Pepperling took it very much to heart when Hoffman was not much in his company. He made an early morning visit to the home of Hoffman, called his pal to the door and opened fire. Hoffman was shot twice. He recovered. Pepperling was wounded and for several days hovered between life and death.

Harrisburg.—The state highway department announced the award of the contract for the construction of 18,045 feet of new highway on the route between Easton and Stroudsburg to the Bethlehem Engineering and Construction company, Bethlehem, at $126,361.60. The improvement will start at the Northampton-Monroe county line through Saylorsburg into Ross township. Monroe county will pay the entire cost.

Marietta.—When a steer driven by S. V. Manifold, of Wrightsville, became enraged it attacked several men. Clarence Manning was internally injured and Howard McKinney's left arm was fractured and he was badly bruised. The bull jumped a five-foot wall in Stewart Brothers' yard and was captured after ruining the garden.

Freeland.—Sergeant John Plummer, of the state police, arrested John Metro, aged 17, of Sandy Valley; John and Andrew Dortha, brothers; John, Joseph and Alexander Mastom, all brothers, of Beaver vale, ranging from 12 to 17 years of age, charging them with having started a number of forest fires. Metro confessed he dropped a cigarette while fishing and that the brush caught fire. The six lads will be taken before juvenile court.

Harrisburg.—Arrest of five men and confiscation of 20,000 tickets and a quantity of paraphernalia for operating base ball pools and other lotteries were announced here by District Attorney Moyer. Declaring the move is the first in a campaign to wipe out baseball gambling in central Pennsylvania, the district attorney said other arrests were expected. Those under arrest at Harrisburg are residents. The city, District Attorney Moyer added, is believed to have been a center of baseball gambling. He asserted one man who has been selling tickets is known to have made $4000 in three months. Purchasers, he asserted, have been mulcted and in no instance has he learned of any one winning more than $3.

Uniontown.—Charging that Dr. John V. McAninch, of Alicit, married another woman within two months after their wedding date was postponed, Miss Mary Whyel, one of Uniontown's well-known society girls, has instituted a breach of promise suit for $10,000 against the physician. She claims that she and Dr. McAninch had set their wedding for June 4, 1921, but for some reason is was postponed and on July 30 the physician married another woman with whom he now is living.

Pottsvuille.—When a man is frightened to death his widow is entitled to damages, State Referee Thomas C. Seidel decided here in the case of Mrs. Annie Eagan, of Ashland, whose husband died at the Potts colliery of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company when a platform fell. Physicians stated that Eagan died of contraction of heart muscles from the fright when the fall occurred and Referee Seidel therefore decided he died in the course of his employment and his family is entitled to full compensation. The claim was held up because Eagan was not injured and it was thought he died from a disease not caused by his employment.

Montrose.—In a battle with a prisoner in the Susquehanna county jail, Chief of Police Albert Tingley, who is acting sheriff, was compelled to empty his revolver at Joseph Willico, an alleged bandit. No one was hit and the prisoners were quieted. Willico struck Chief Tingley with a blackjack, but the blow was not hard enough to knock him out. It is believed a jail delivery had been planned.

Reading.—Charles Potts, Monocacy farmer, had an exciting experience when five young men came to his house on a motor truck and attempted to search his premises for whisky. Only the determination of Potts in the face of revolvers not to allow the men to enter after he told them he had no whisky prevented them ransacking the house. He called for help and the men fled.

Northumberland.—Council awarded a contract for $26,000 worth of street paving to George W. Rockwell, of Sunbury.

Tuscarora.—The school board awarded the contract for a nine-room school here, to cost $50,000.

Reedsville.—The annual convention of the Mifflin County Sunday School Association will be held here June 13 and 14.

Connellsville.—Edward [illegible] of this place has been [illegible] chief of the internal [illegible] including Fayette and [illegible] ties.

Altoona.—Three employes of a local brewing company were arrested and a truck loaded with half barrels and cases of beer, alleged to contain more than one-half of one per cent alcohol, was confiscated by Michael Laputka, prohibition agent. The men, Thomas Claycomb, John Schmidhammer and W. M. Palmer, were held in $1000 bail for United States court. The beer was impounded at the postoffice. Laputka seized the truck on the street.

Harrisburg.—Philip Naglebach, a steel worker, was held for the murder of Mrs. Elizabeth Picket, an aged woman who was found dead in her home. Physicians testified the woman was killed by a blow which affected her heart. Naglebach had been seen near the picket home the evening before the body was found.

Kane.—Twelve buildings, housing families, factories, a newspaper office and other business concerns, were destroyed by fire at Marienville. The loss is estimated at $100,000. John Valenteur, chief of the Kane fire department, and four other men were injured when their automobile overturned near Frost while they were en route to Marienville.

Erie.—Frank Schade, of Pittsburgh, was elected president of the Travelers' Protective Association of Pennsylvania by a majority of 12 over F. E. Schimel, of Reading, at the closing session of a three-day annual convention. Allentown was chosen as the next convention city. Directors elected were: S. D. Henry, Allentown; Charles O'Boyle, Scranton; James Melloy, Wilkes-Barre, and William Cannon, Erie.

Harrisburg.—Under a ruling announced by Chairman Mackey, of the compensation board, a physician or surgeon attached to a hospital staff cannot present a bill for services to an injured person under the compensation act unless a separate contract exists with the employer. The chairman has ruled that Dr. M. C. Householder, of Pottsville, could not charge for services to John A. Yost, an employee of a Port Carbon company, injured while in its service. The case was a test of the 1912 amendment, which dealt with hospital service, and the chairman says if the decision is not in accord with the best thought of the medical men they can go to the legislature.

Uniontown.—Miss Alice Baer, a clerk in the office of Tax Collector Mart A. Kiefer at the time of his death and who for the last year has collected county and state tax in Uniontown, has just been re-elected to that position by the Fayette county commissioners. Miss Baer gave general satisfaction during her first term of office. Her collections were the largest in the history of the city.

Uniontown.—Evictions in the Fayette county coal fields are continuing at the rate of nearly 100 a week, according to information given out at the office of Prothonotary George Rathmell, through whose office the eviction orders go before they reach Sheriff L. Shaw. In normal times the evictions usually average about a dozen a week, but now that is about the daily average.

Northumberland.—Nicholas Regg, of this place, broke three ribs when a long wrench slipped.

Gettysburg.—Helen Geiselman, the nurse who three weeks ago, it is alleged, killed her new-born baby and hid its body in a drain pipe on a farm just outside of town, was taken to the Adams county jail. Just after making a confession to state policemen, she took poison, and since has been a patient in a hospital, where for a time her life was dispaired of. With her recovery from the poison, the warrant charging her with murder, was read to her and removal from the hospital to the prison followed. Her case will be tried in the August term of court.

Pittsburgh.—The Modern Savings and Trust company, capitalized at $125,000 and owned and controlled by negroes, was closed by P. G. Cameron, deputy commissioner of banking. Losses and doubtful loans were assigned as the cause. A meeting of the stockholders has been called to discuss the question of reopening.

Pottsville. — State Compensation Commissioner Houck decided in an appeal of Mrs. Annie Floody, of Pittsburga, that the death of her husband from drowning in the Ohio river was a maritime accident, as the man was an employe on a boat. He, therefore, held that the state referees have no authority to grant compensation.

Uniontown.—Three murders, a suicide, two drownings an involuntary manslaughter, three fatal mine accidents and four deaths on railroads are included in Coroner Baum's report for April. The same number of railroad accidents and one less mine fatality occurred in March, and there were no murders.

Pottsville.—The Knights of Malta secured a charter from court for their new home association which will finance one of the finest homes in the coal region for members of the order. The home, a substantial mansion on Market street, has already been purchased and is in possession of the Maltas.

Hazleton.—The great demand for houses here was shown when ninery persons applied for a dwelling which is to be vacated.

Pittsburgh.—The bond brokerage concern of Lyon, Singer & Co., one of the largest dealers in bonds here, which closed its doors recently, was made defendant in involuntary bankruptcy proceedings in federal court. Creditors' claims total $79,438.51.

Lewistown.—Steady rains have completely wiped out the forest fires that threatened thousands of acres of timber lands in the mountains of Mifflin and adjacent counties.

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POINT

Mrs. T. B. Nunamaker had the misfortune to fall Tuesday morning and break her hip close to the joint. She had it broken at the same place by a fall on the ice ten years ago The old lady suffers great pain from the injury. Our people are all very sorry for her and hope that the injury will soon heal and that her suffering will not be so intense. Mrs David Shull is helping take care of her.

Mr Ambrose Callahan, of Osterburg, done a small job of carpenter work for H. S. McCreary one day last week

Henry Shaffer and family and Peter A. Shaffer and wife spent one day last week visiting friends in Martinsburg.

Irvine Miller of near Spring Hope raised an addition to his house last week. Harry Otto is the contractor

The following persons were visitors or callers at the residence of Mr and Mrs Hissong on Sunday Mr and Mrs Samuel Poorman, Mrs Luther Ball and son, Mrs Bart Nicodemus and son, of Schellburg, Mr Beegle, of Bedford, Mr and Mrs Kendig and child, Scott Hissong and wife of Windber, W M Hissong, two daughters and son of Cessna, Mr. and Mrs Jo P Allen, son Stanford, daughter Louise and Miss Stella Feight, of Bedford Come again as your visit was greatly appreciated

The P O S of A have arranged to have Chaplain Lutz of Lutzville make the Memorial day address on May 30, Memorial day, in Schellburg Mr Lutz, having been a soldier and chaplain of the regular army, has had lots of experience and there is nothing like experience to help one deliver a good address There should be a good turnout of soldiers of all wars and people should show their respect to the soldier dead by being present The Wolfsburg band will render the music for the occasion The services commence as usual at 1 o'clock p. m

John Claycomb, son of G C Claycomb and daughter, of Pittsburgh and Harry Pensyl, of Cessna, paid Mr and Mrs. R. C Smith a very pleasant visit on Sunday evening.

The children of Mr R. C. Smith presented him with a fine cane on May 10, it being his seventy-eighth birthday.

PLEASANTVILLE

Rev. Melvin Clemens, of Youngstown, Ohio, delivered a fine sermon in the M. E church on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Nate Oldham and children, of Johnstown, attended a birthday celebration at the home of Mr. George Oldham

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Weyant and Mr and Mrs Clark Barefoot, daughter Dorothy and son Kenneth spent Sunday at the home of George Weyant.

Mr. and Mrs Harry Bowser, of Flintstone, Md, and Mrs. Willian McGregor attended the funeral of Mrs Clarence Allison at Scalp Level

Mrs. Annie McMullen, of Lewistown, Mifflin county,s pent several days with her uncle, Mr. Jacob Brown, who has been sick for some time

Mrs Nancy Seese and son, Harry, of Rummell, Mr Samuel Cox and Mrs Mary Adams, of Johnstown spent Sunday with Mrs Laverna Brown and Mrs Amos Edwards

Mrs Clarence Smith has gone to Eton to see her mother, who is very ill.

Miss Jennie Kane, of Johnstown, is visiting here for a few days

Mr Elliott Cratzer has purchased a new Ford roadster

Mrs Elmer Fetter, of Osterburg, had a birthday dinner Sunday for her grand-daughter, Eleanor Fetter aged 5 years

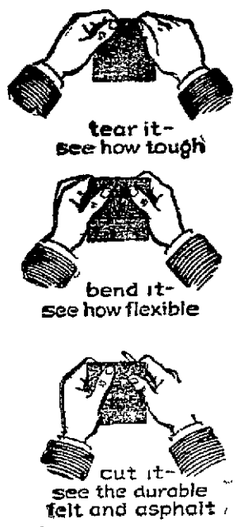
Staunton Hann and lady friend and Mrs Roy Miller and children, all of Johnstown, visited at the home of Mr and Mrs. D D Hann

Mr Ed Gates, wife and children spent Sunday at the home of D C. Clark

A moonlight picnic was held in th Barefoot Grove last Thursday evening.

The body of Mrs E A. Walters, of Seattle, Washington, arrived Sunday morning at Osterburg. Interment was made in the Reformed cemetery at Osterburg Deceased was aged 63 years and is survived by four daughters, Mary, Bertha, Edna and Lela. Her husband, one daughter and two sons preceded her in death

There is one error in Senator Lodge's biography which should be corrected and the fact known before the fall election Senator Lodge has long posed as the "scholar in politics", the fact is that Senator Lodge is a politician dabbling in scholarship.



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THIRD DAY: Festival Quartet of Chicago. Charles H. Plattenburg-"The Old Town In a New World."

FOURTH DAY: Geoffrey F. Morgan---"Success with Ease". Comedy-Drama Success "Friendly Enemies".

FIFTH DAY: Cotton Noe, Kentucky Poet-Lecturer- humorist. Princess Teata and her Indian Friends.

Children's Story and Play Hours Daily

Adult $2.00 — SEASON TICKET — Junior $1.00

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The Big Birthday Sale

Of The

Carl F. Espenschade Dept. Store

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The C. F. Espenschade Department Store, Bedford, Pa., is now in full swing—You will miss the Biggest Merchandising Event of a lifetime if you stay away—You have undoubtedly read our circular giving prices upon over 100 Birthday Specials—If you have not ask or send for one, it will pay you. And besides these Money Saving Items practically all Goods in Every Department of this Big Store are reduced for this 10 day sale which commenced Thursday, May 18 and will close

Saturday, May 27th

Valuable Gifts are to be given away every day of this sale.

Thursday, May 18. We give away absolutely free of cost a Rug value $27.50.
Friday, May 19. We will give a 100 lb. bag of Granulated Sugar.
Saturday, May 20. We will give any Ladies Suit in our Ready to Wear Department up to $35.00 value.
Monday, May 22. Pair of men's fine Dress Shoes and one pair of Ladies' Fine Dress Shoes will be given away.
Tuesday, May 23. We give absolutely free one 3 Burner Red Star Oil Stove.
Wednesday, May 24. Free to someone—A large size best made Coaster Wagon for the Kiddies.
Thursday, May 25. We will give an all Leather Traveling Bag.
Friday, May 26. We will give 1 bbl. Flour—Any home flour you may wish.
Saturday, May 27. A fine large pair of Wool Blankets are given Free.

Every customer making a purchase in this Store from the time the Store opens until 5 o'clock P. M. will be given a Sales Slip with their name upon it and will have an equal chance for these daily prizes, at 5 o'clock each day a disinterested person will draw 15 Sales Slips from a box where they have been deposited—These will be laid aside and the 16th slip will draw the prize. Of course the Slips will be thoroughly mixed together before drawing commences.

Everyone will have an equal chance here. Also—Remember that with every Cash Purchase of $2.00 you are entitled to 1 Key which may win you the Kitchen Cabinet now on display along with the other Prizes in our window.

A Few Extra Specials for Your Consideration

Saturday, May 20th only full cream cheese. Per lb. 20c

BROOMS—as long as they last. Good brooms 5 sewed of fine selected broom corn 39c

UNBLEACHED MUSLIN Every day—L. L Brand 36 in. extra heavy yard 10c

Men's Dress or Work Hose. Splendid value pr. 7c

Men's work shirts of blue chambray 50c

ALL CROCKERY DISHES Upon our large Crockery Table at just one half the price we have been selling them for. ½ Price

WIDE AWAKE SHIRTS Best work shirts made—Full cut and fast color—In light or dark blue, black or polka dot For this sale— 85c

LADIES' COAT SUITS In Jersey, Tweed and mixtures $10.00
In Tricotine, Serge and simpler fabrics at just ½ price up to $30.00 values $15.00

LADIES' SHOES Ladies' dress shoes Best makes all sizes Black and tan, French heels— formerly sold up to $12.00. For this sale ... $2.95
Sport Oxfords the latest creations for Summer wear. Very special at $3.25

Hill Muslin	16c
Hair Nets 15c values—3 for	25c
Dust Caps	9c
Ladies' Vests all sizes—3 for	50c
Men's Suspenders all kinds	20c
Men's Handkerchiefs red, blue, white	5c
Men's Dress Shirts ..	85c
Men's Balbriggan Union Suits ..	57c
Men's Overalls	75c
Men's Shirt and Drawers, each piece .	42c
Ladies' Dress Hose	8c
Ladies' soft finished muslin night gowns ..	50c
Ladies' all silk hose	$1 29
Ladies' checked Gingham handkerchiefs 2 for	25c
Ladies' Pink Jersey Bloomers	29c
Ladies' Figured Crepe night gowns	$1 00
Window Blinds 36x72 Good quality	50c
Aluminum Water pail 10 quarts	$1 00
Sweaters—33 1-3% Reduction. Waists 50c—69c—1.00	
Children's Rain Capes—7 to 14 ...	$1.00
Middies—White—Sizes 6 to 20	50c

LADIES' COATS
Closing out of Spring and heavier models at $5 00
New Coats and Capes values up to $25 00 Sale price $14 50

FLOOR COVERINGS

Grass Rugs 9x12	$5 50
Tapestry Rugs 9x12 . ..	$18 00
All Fibre Rugs 9x12 . ..	$5.00
Wool and Fibre Rugs 9x12	$6 50

All Other Floor Coverings at Reduced Prices

MEN'S AND BOY'S SHOES

Men's Dress Shoes	$2 50
Men's Heavy Shoes	$2.00
Boy's Dress Shoes	$1 75
Boys' Play and Work Shoes	$1 85

Apple Butter No 10 can nearly a gallon	75c	Bulk Cocoa per lb .	7c	Waldorf Toilet Paper	7c
Ginger Snaps per lb ...	10c	Canned Corn Guaranteed per can .	9c	Post Toasties	9c
Good Coffee	15c	Lenox Soap 7 cakes	25c	Fancy Rice	7c
Colonial Tumblers 5c each per doz	50c	Tobacco— Any schap or plug 7 for	50c	Large Granite Wash Basins ...	20c

While we have large quantities of all articles advertised we may run short of some items before Sale is over. Come Early while you are sure of obtaining your share of these wonderful Bargains—"Don't Follow the Crowd but Lead it." Plan to come every day possible—These opportunities will not return for you.

Car fare or Gasoline expense refunded on all sales amounting to $25.00 or over—(Groceries excepted).

No Telephone Orders accepted for any Sale Items.

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SPRING HOPE

Corn planting is the order of the day with our farmers.

Mrs Humphrey Smith has been on the sick list the past week but is better at present.

Irvin Miller has the frame of his new house up and some sheeting on The work is being done by Harry Otto and son, Russell

Miss Carrie Croyle, of near Cessna, is spending some time with her cousin, Cora Hoover.

Mrs. R. ph Knisely, of Braddock, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs Sherman Smith

The stretch of road which runs from Fishertown to William D. Hoover's a distance of one mile on the valley road, which has just been completed, is a credit to the community and also the township, it being one of the best roads in the township The supervisors in charge deserve credit for its construction.

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